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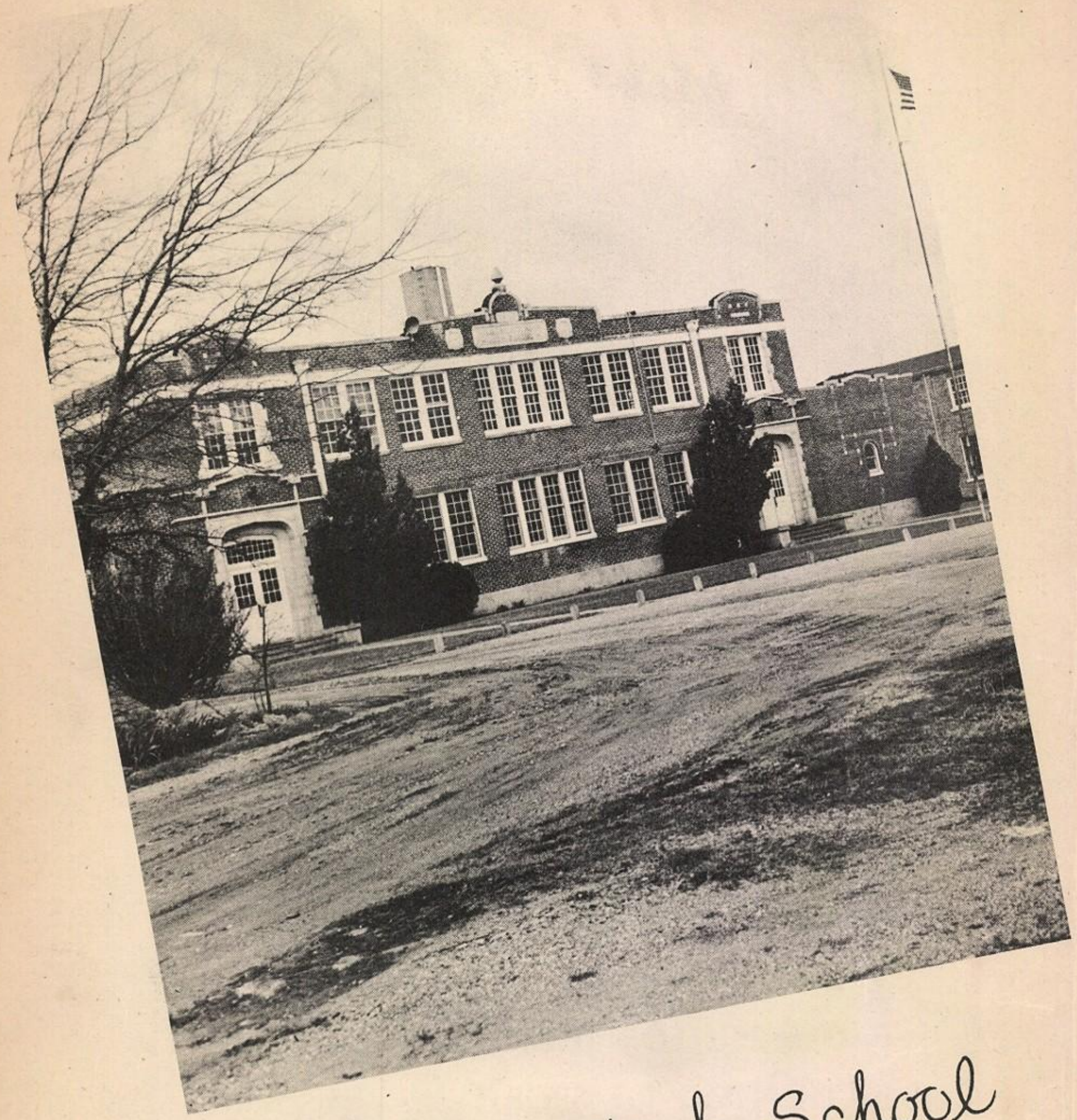
FOREWORD

TO PRESENT A PICTURE SYNOPSIS OF SCHOOL LIFE IN ITS ESSENCE IS THE AIM OF THIS YEAR-BOOK. WE HAVE TRIED TO PICTURE OUR SCHOOL LIFE WITH ALL OF ITS JOYS, ITS THRILLS, AND ITS SORROWS.

AS YOU LOOK BACK ON THIS YEARBOOK IN THE FUTURE MAY IT BRING BACK THE HAPPY MEMORIES OF YOUR SCHOOL DAYS.

Dedication

TO COACH PARMA AND THE FOOTBALL TEAM . . . WE DEDICATE THIS 1945 EAGLE . . . FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTION IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS . . . THE WINNING OF THE BI-DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP . . . AND ALL OF THE ACHIEVEMENTS WHICH MADE THIS POSSIBLE . . .



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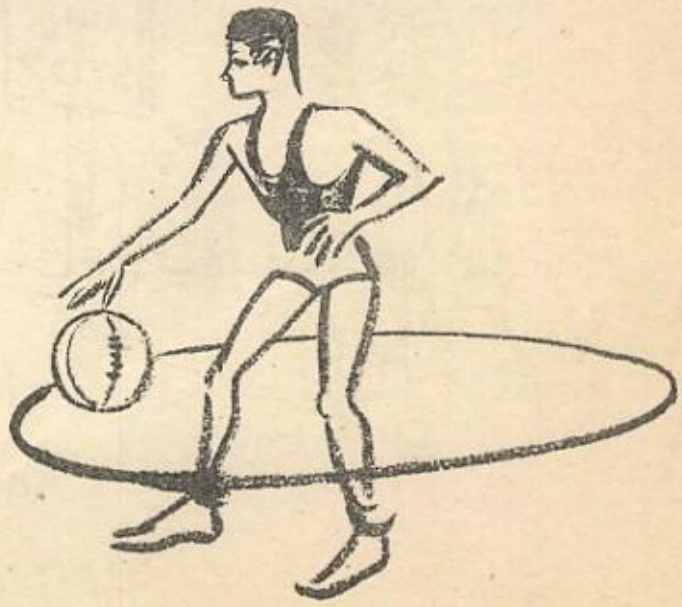

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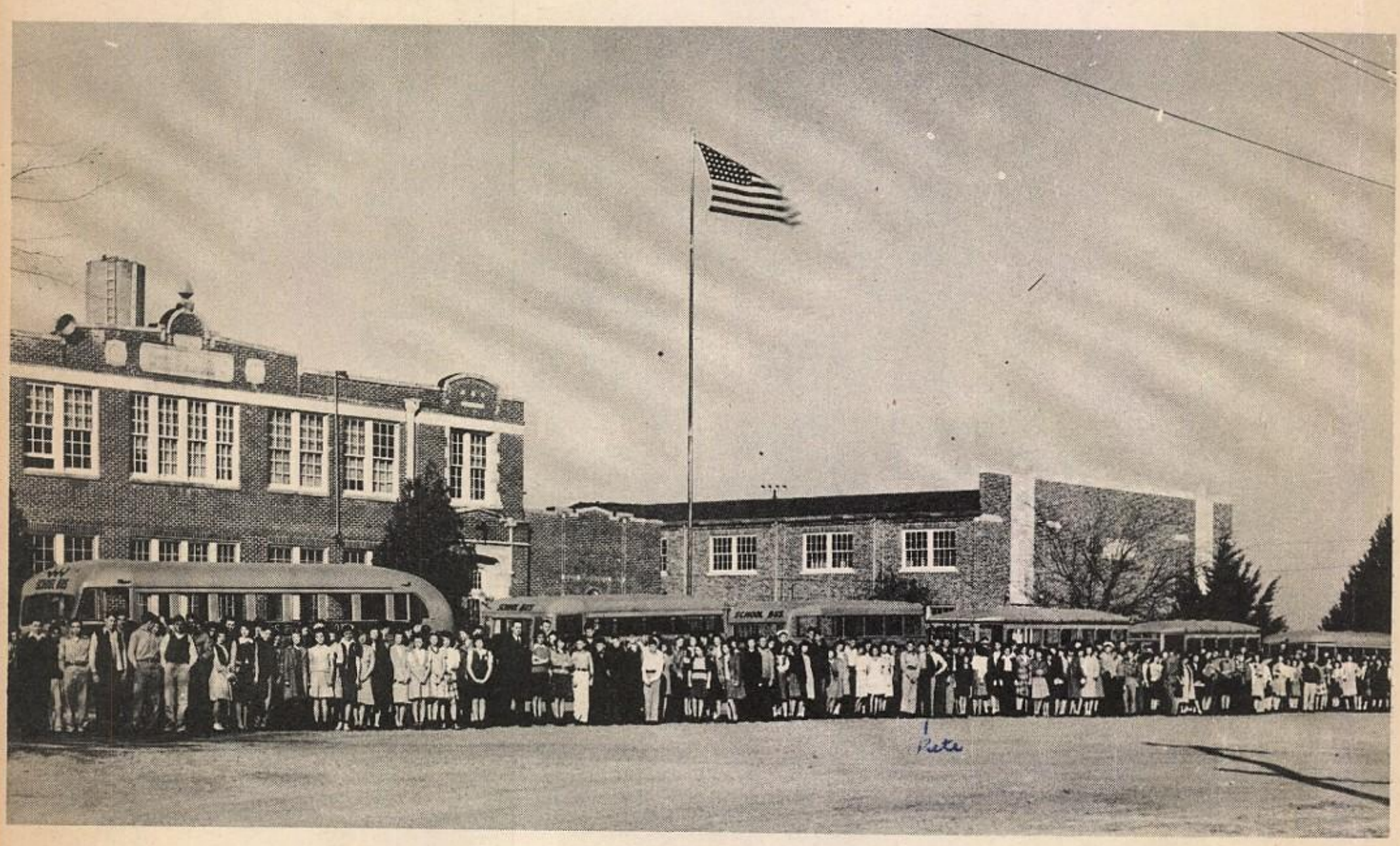

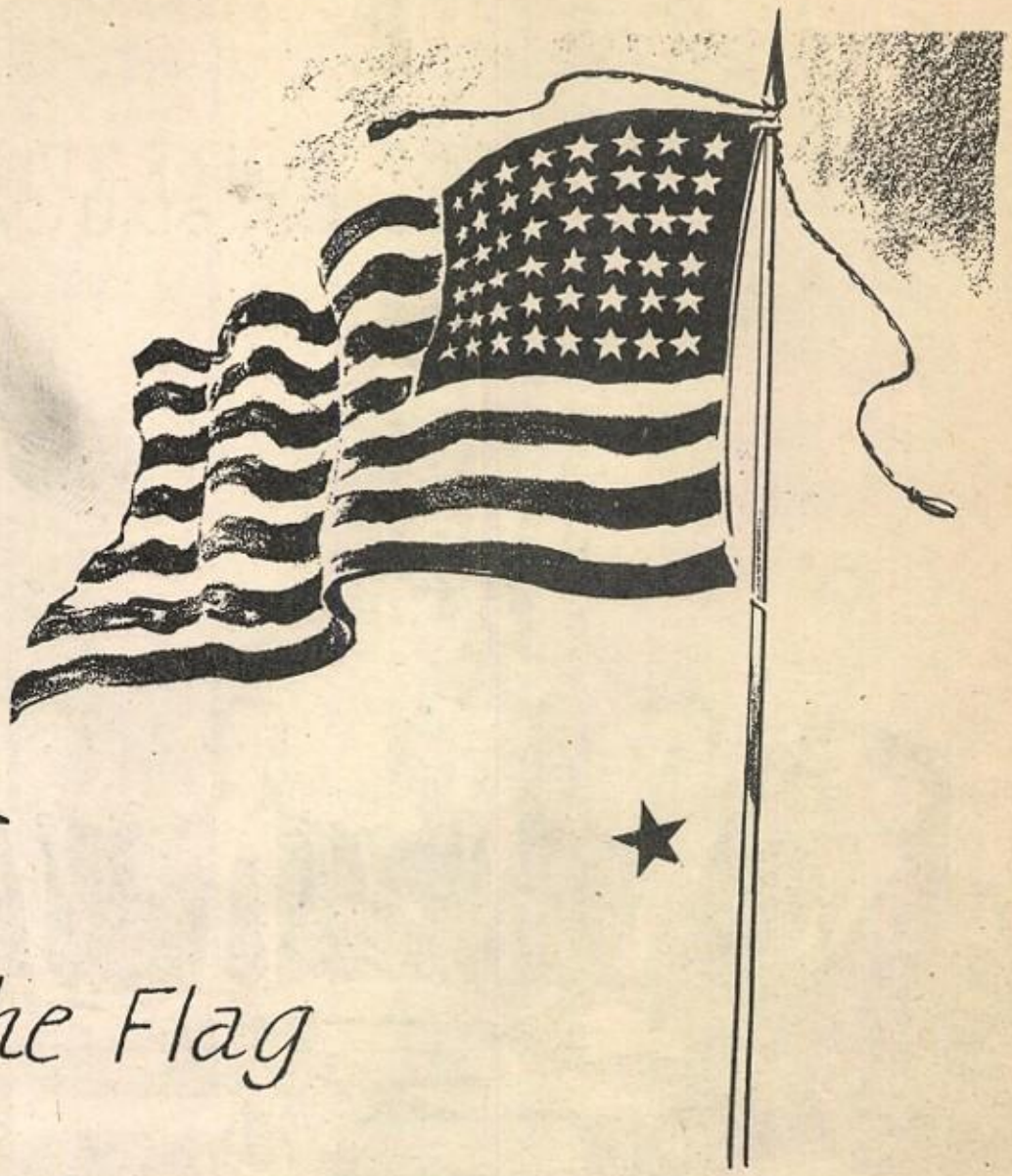

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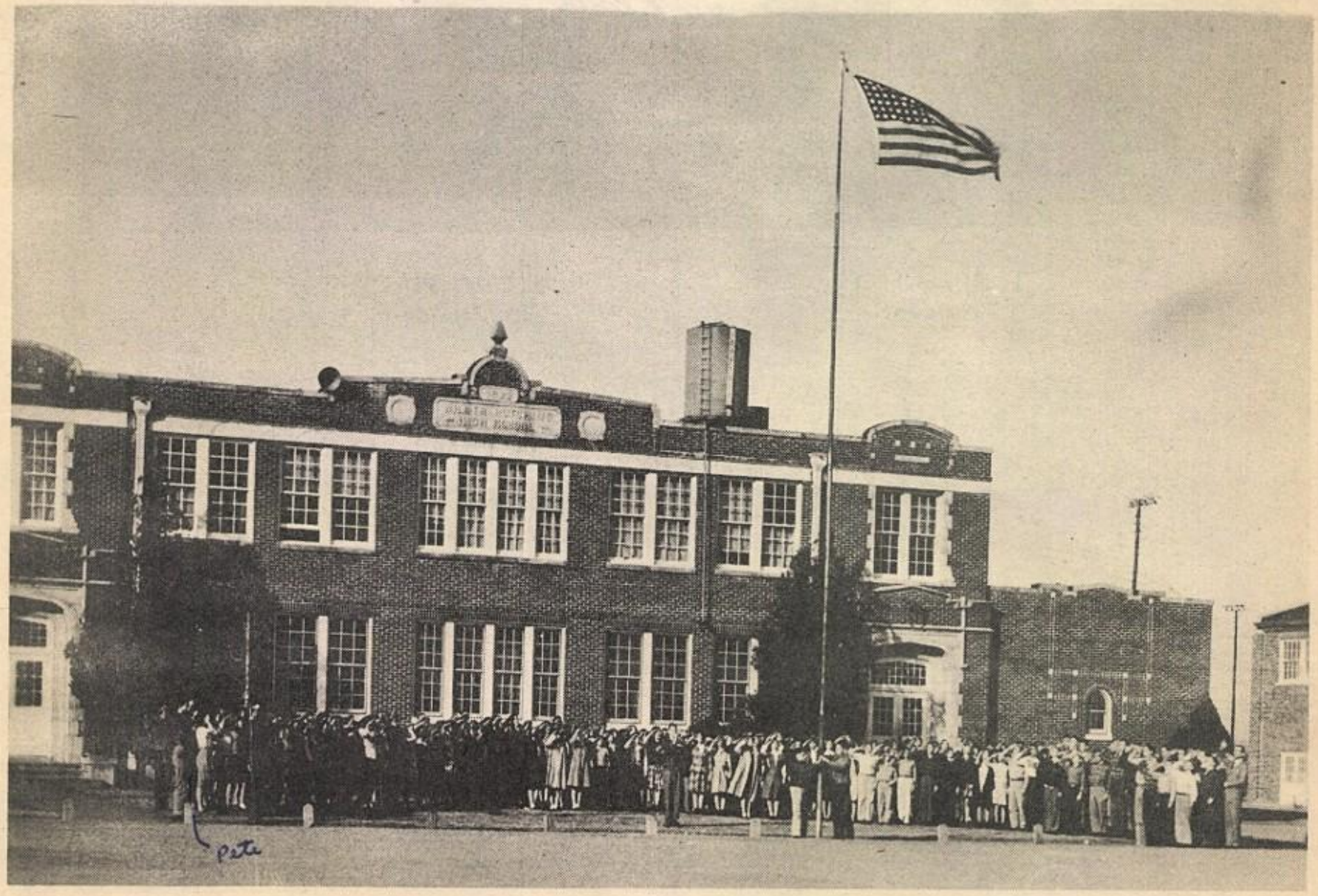

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April 19, 1945

Dear Friends:

May I present to you the 1945 edition of the Eagle. I hope as you turn the pages you will enjoy every one of them.

We have tried to picture school life at its best in Wilmer-Hutchins High. Even though our country is engaged in a great war, this little book indicates some of the achievements of a fine student body in the field of High School Education.

We salute the Wilmer-Hutchins students in the armed forces; and to our Seniors of 1945 we wish you great success as you approach new horizons.

Thanks to the Annual Staff and its Sponsor for a second successful edition of our yearbook.

Yours sincerely,

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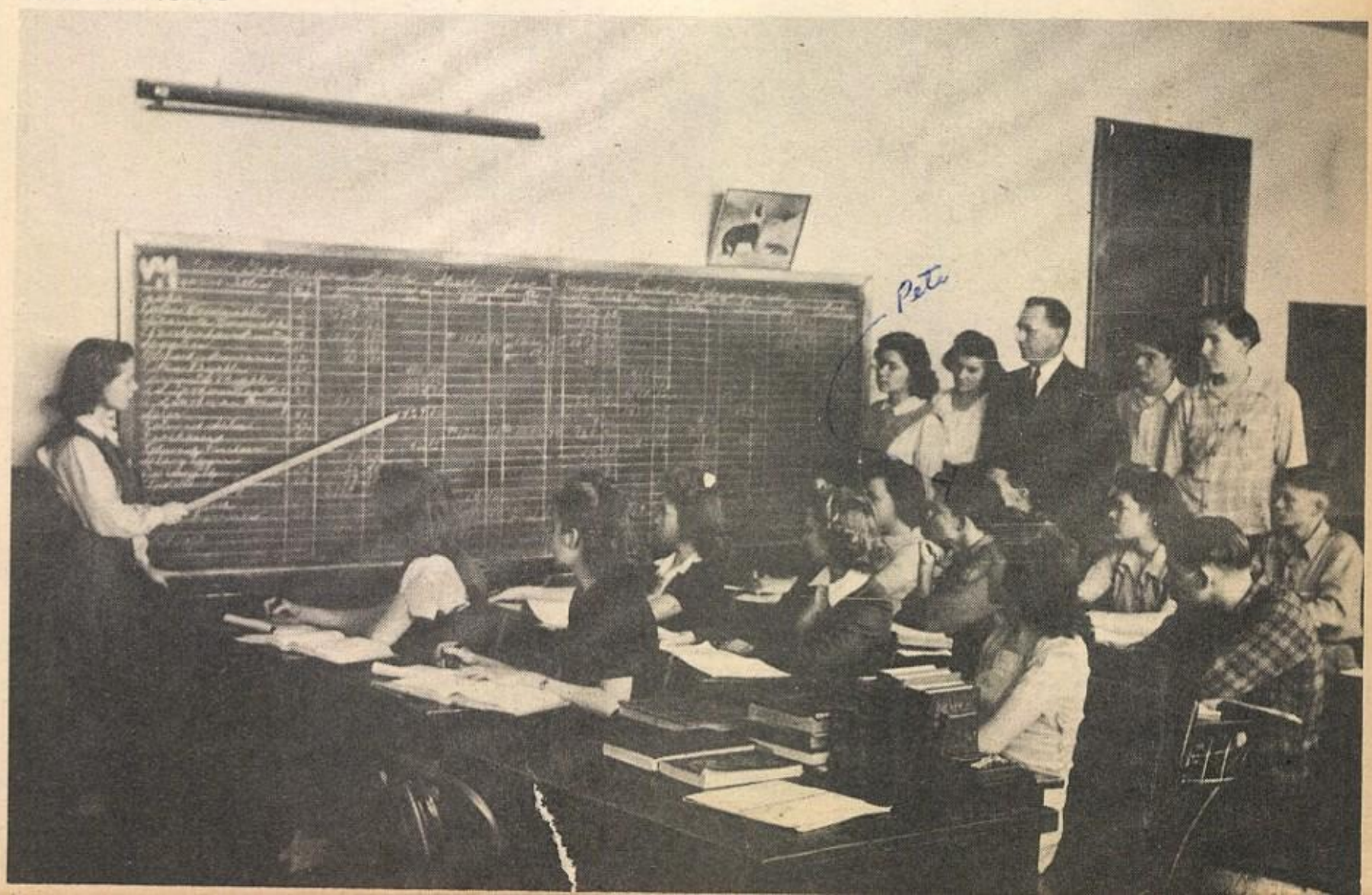

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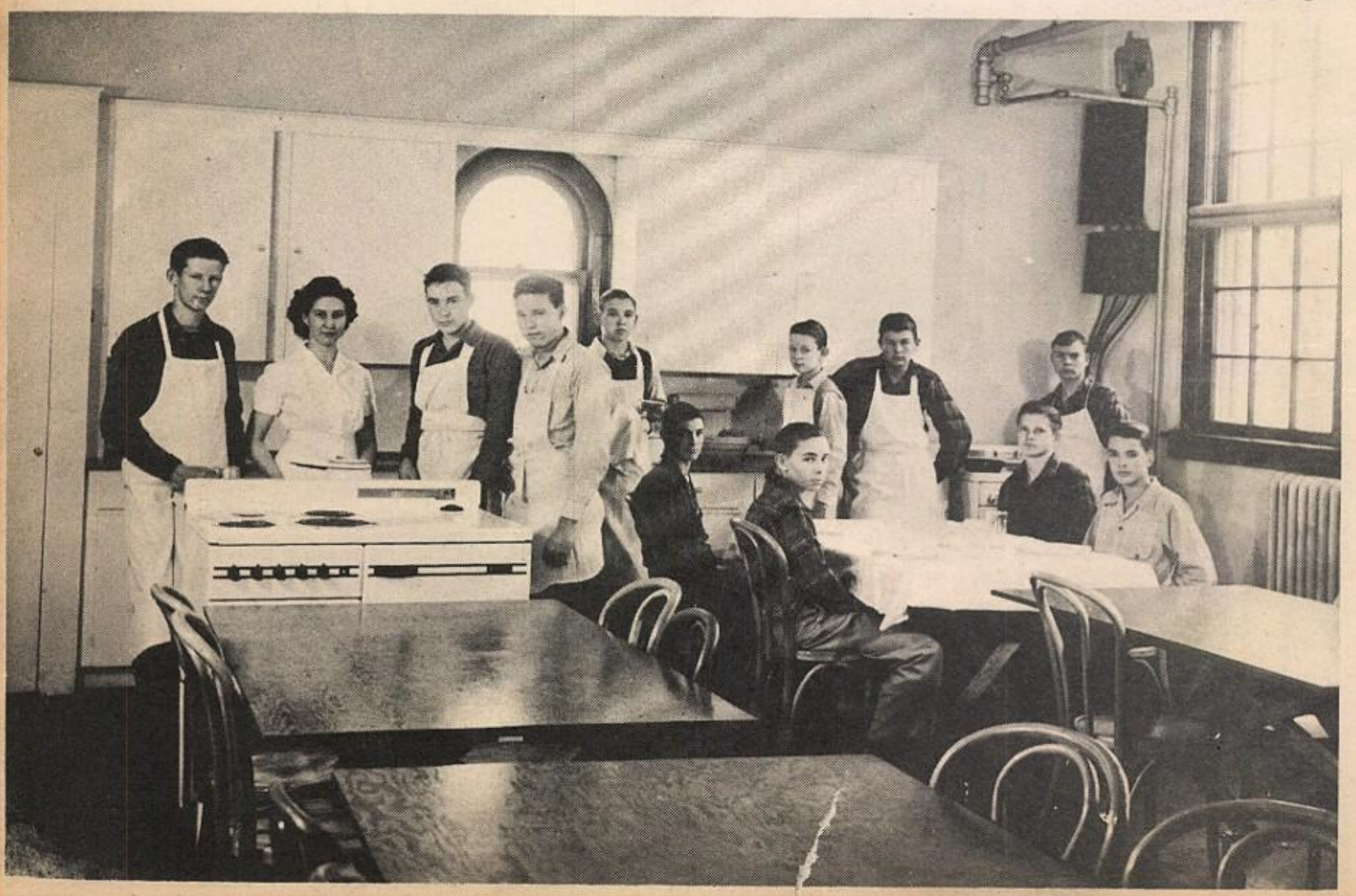

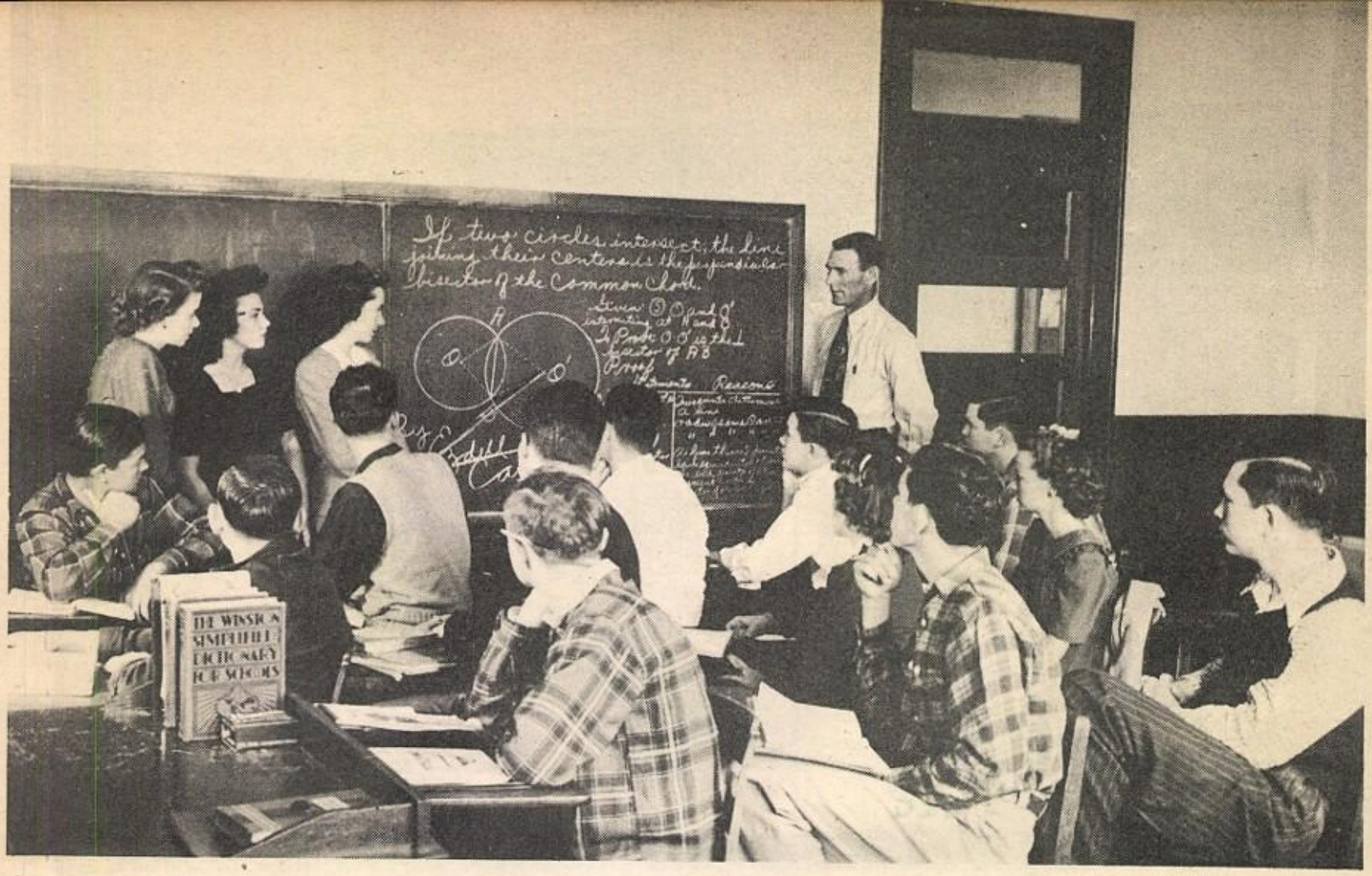

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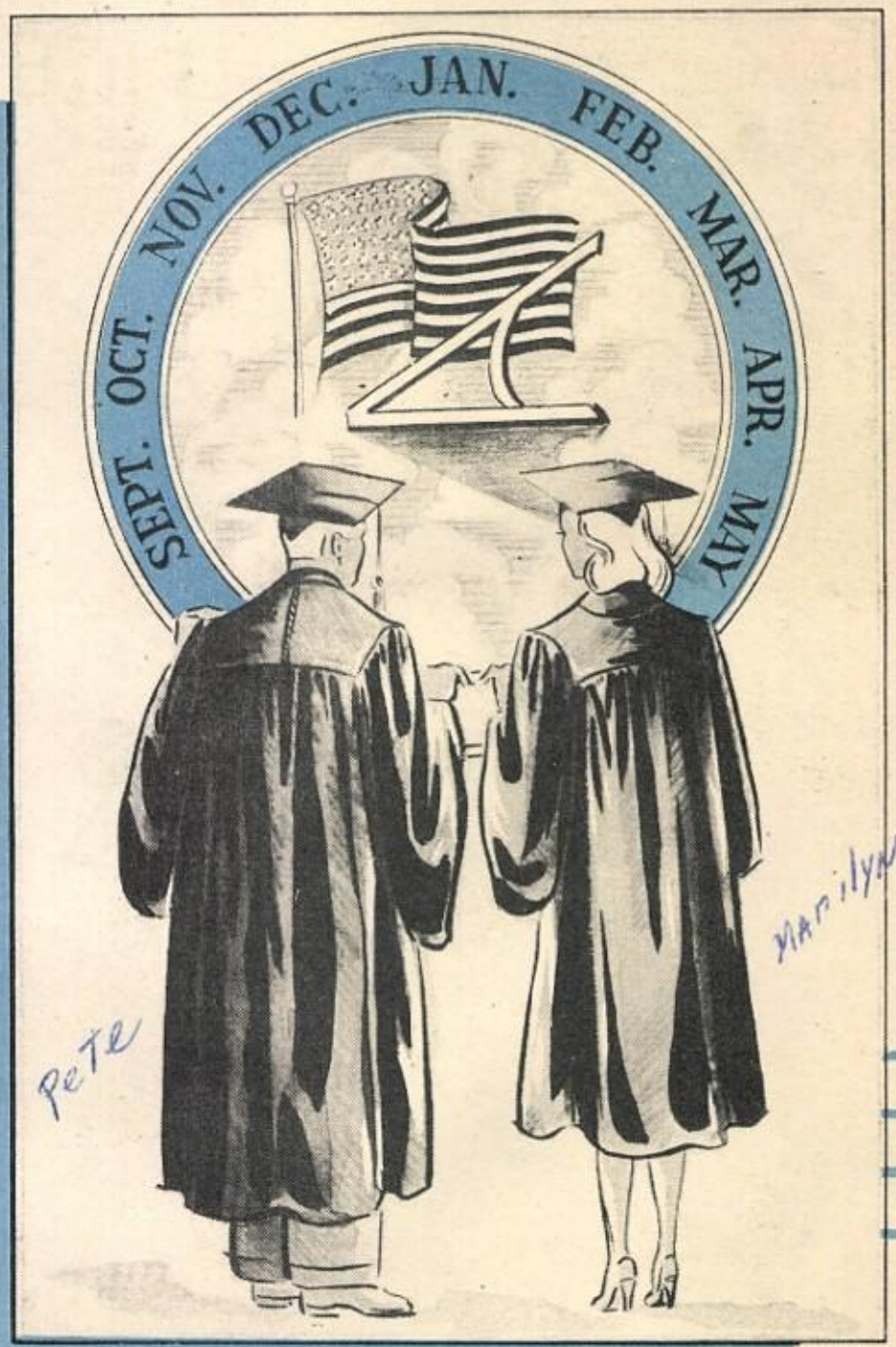

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Press Club, Annual, Paper.

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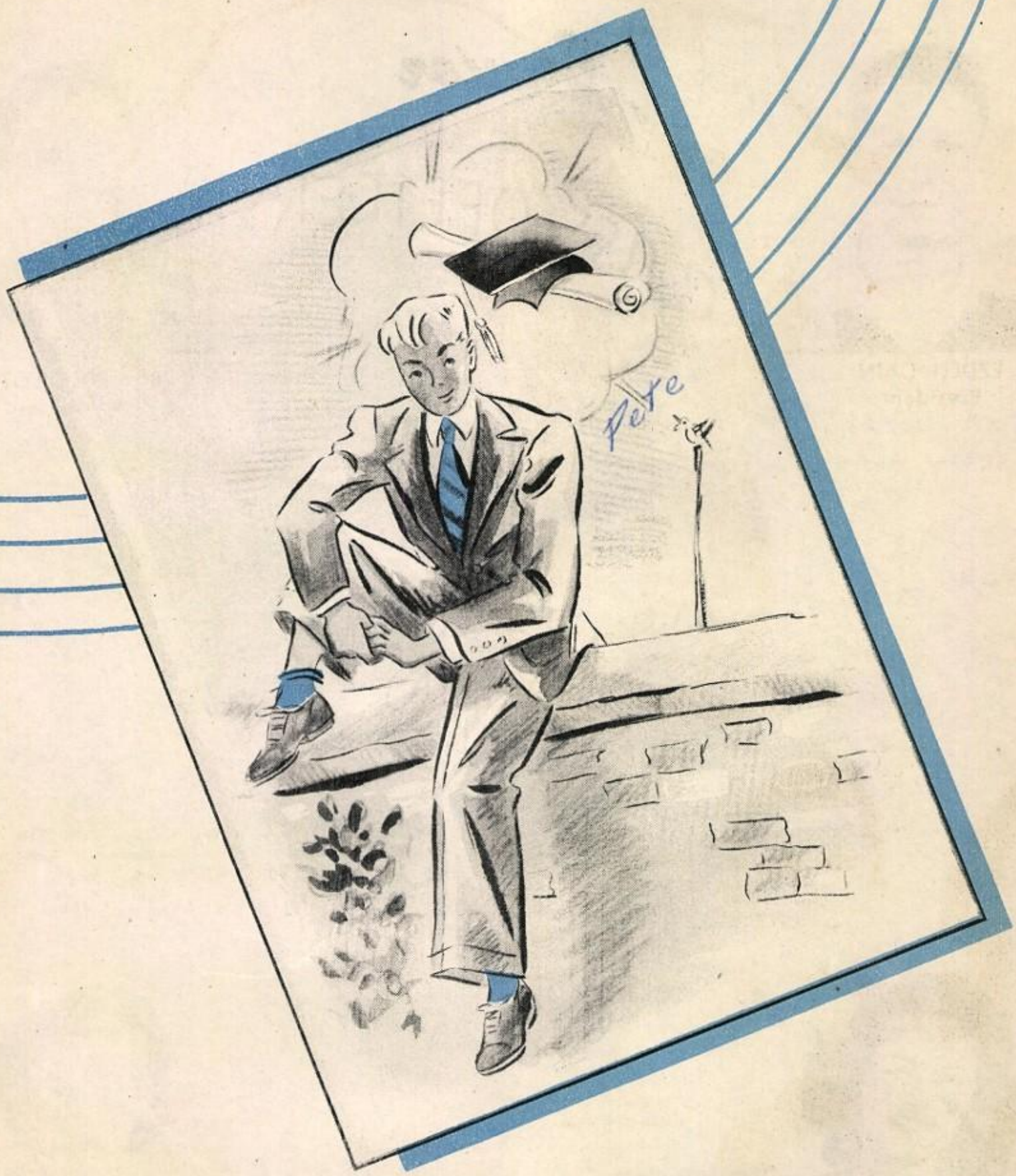

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Gant, Bettye Jane

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McKee, Doyle

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Mussina, Fred

Newman, Lester

Parrish, Lucile

Rawlins, Billy

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Pete

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Hacker, Bobby

Harrison, Russell

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Hicks, Manon

Jenkins, Jackie

Jones, Paul

Loggins, Layland

Lonon, Winiford

Lonon, Mary

Sophomores

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McCormick, Kelly

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O'Keefe, Jean

Osborn, Cora Francis

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Pilgrim, Betty

Perry, Doris

Pyle, Mancy Jo

Rowan, Patsy

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Surratt, Dorothy

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FRESHMEN

Freshmen

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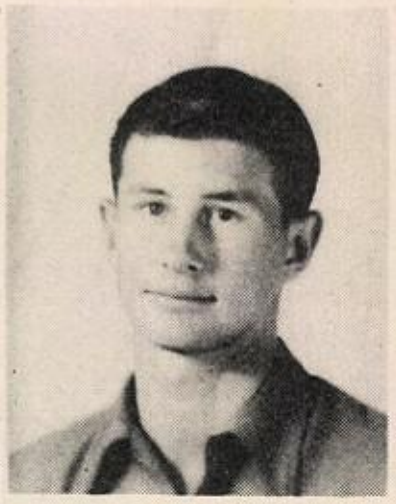

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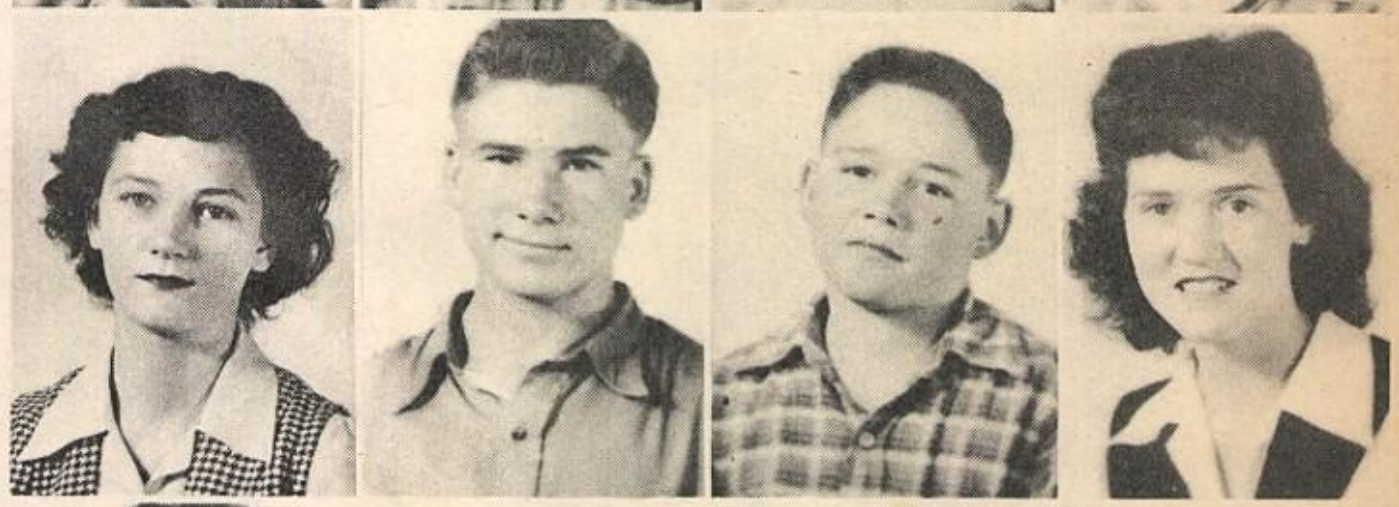

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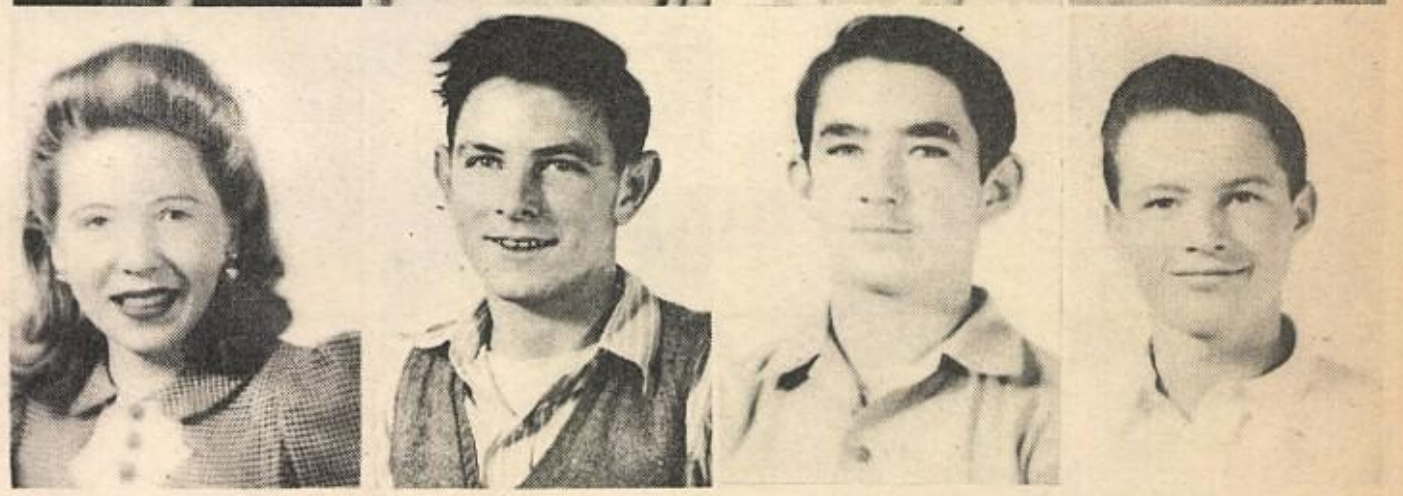

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Sears, Wylie Fred

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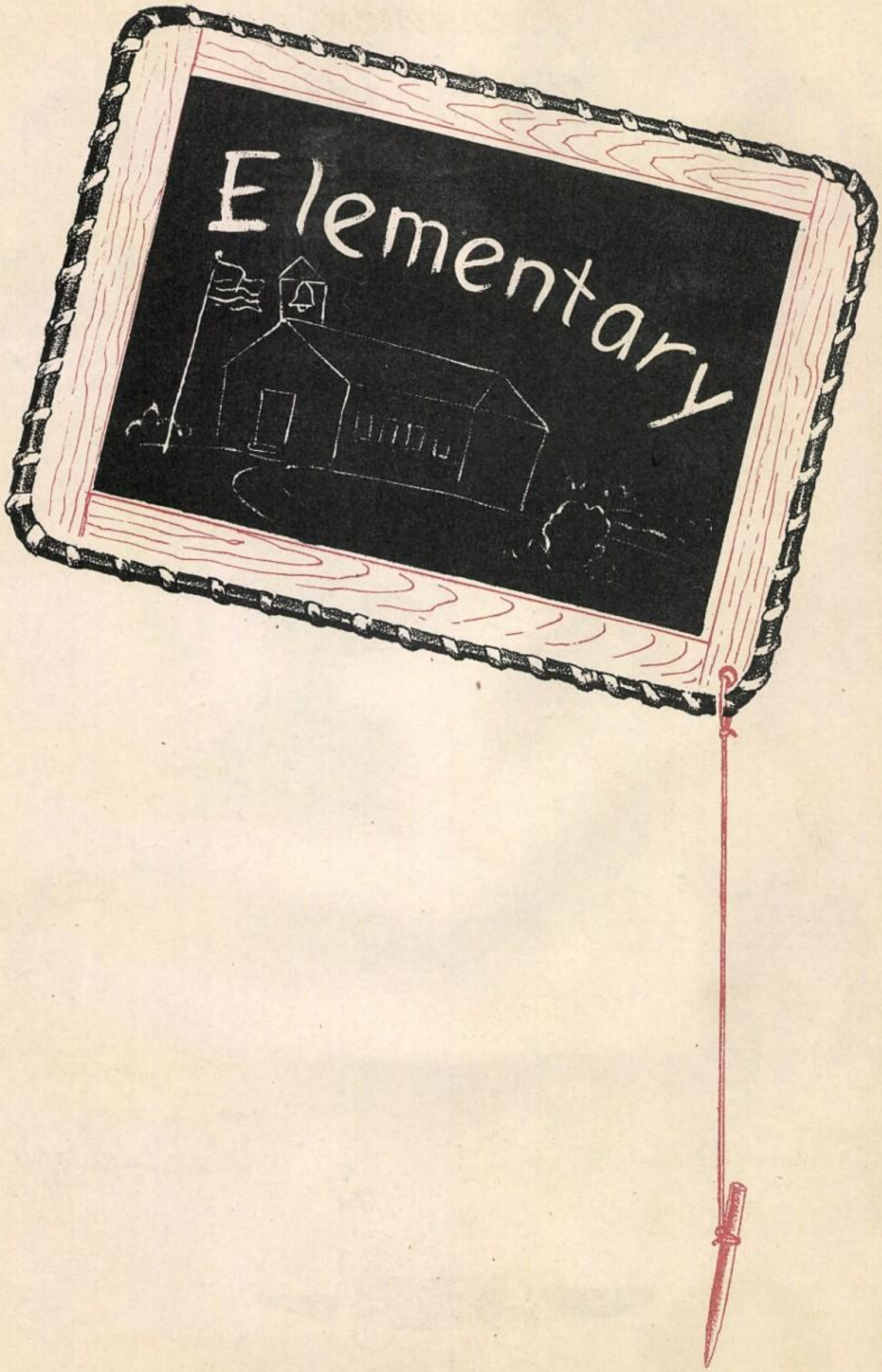
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Burrow, Elmer

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Cavender, Irene

Chapman, Mary Nell

Cody, Bobbie June

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Gillham, Billy Joe

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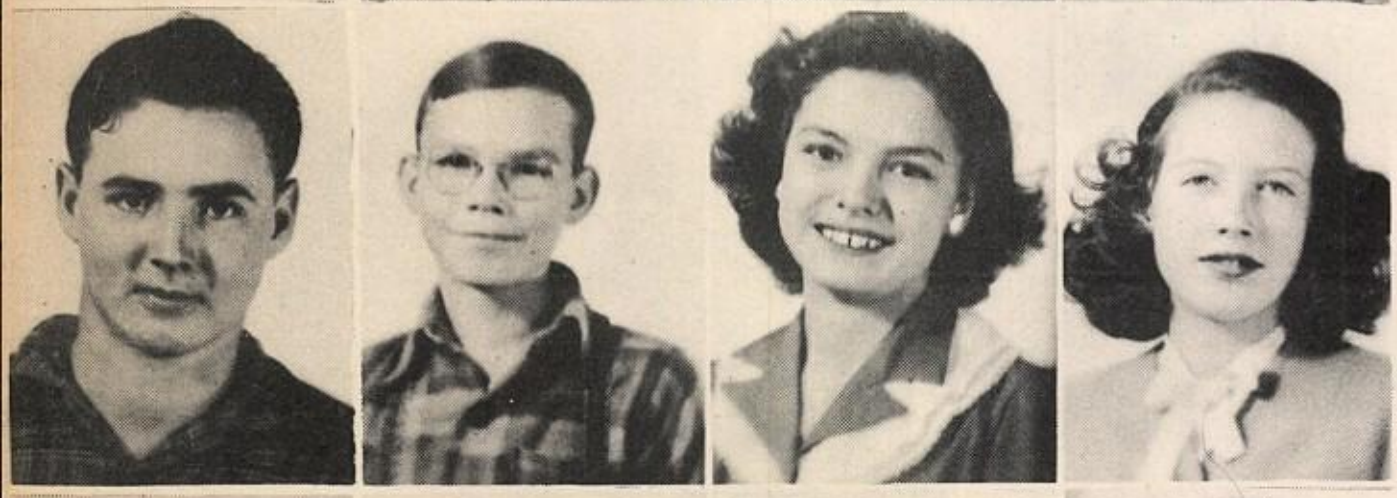
Hill, Billie Jean

Hoover, Patsy



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Houston, Oscar

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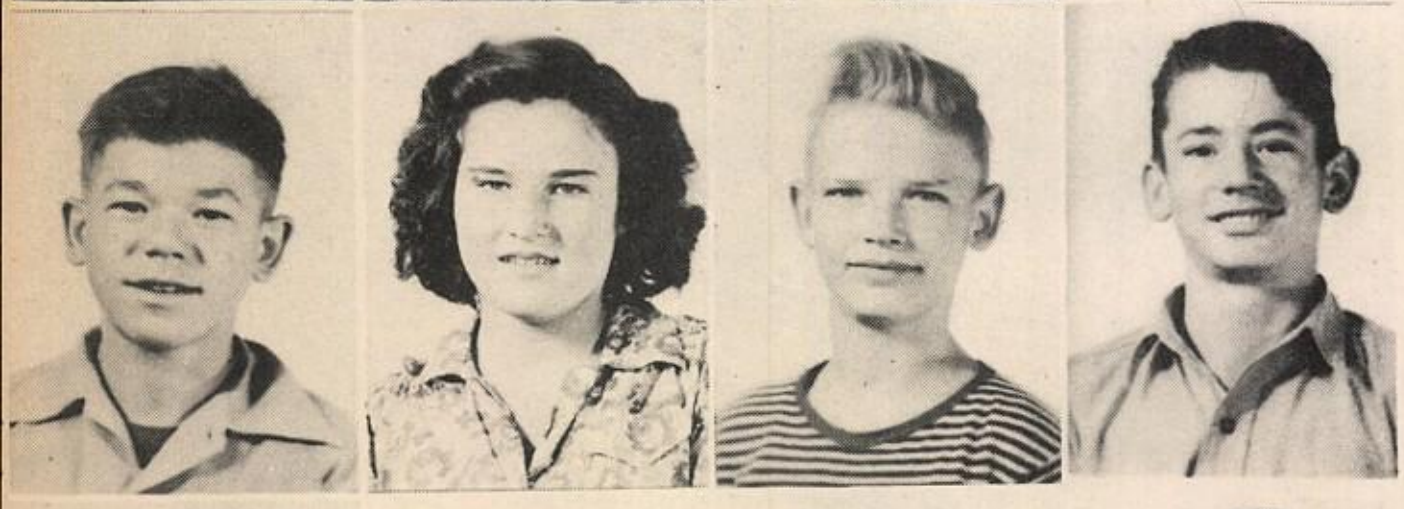

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Loggins, Allen

Lusk, Rance

Maxwell, Cyril

McCullough, Doretha

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8th Grade

Mitchell, Troy

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Smith, Earl

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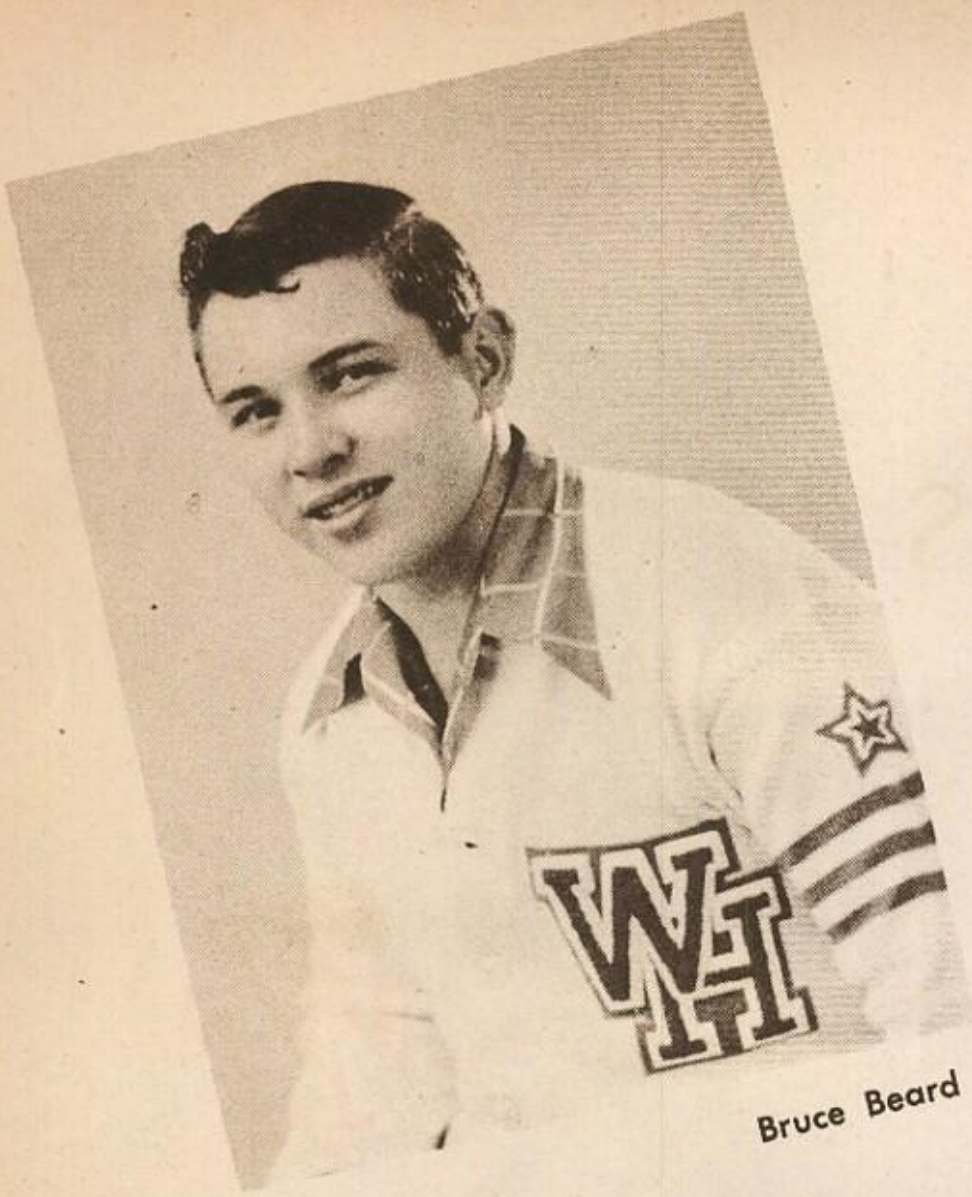
Senior FAVORITES



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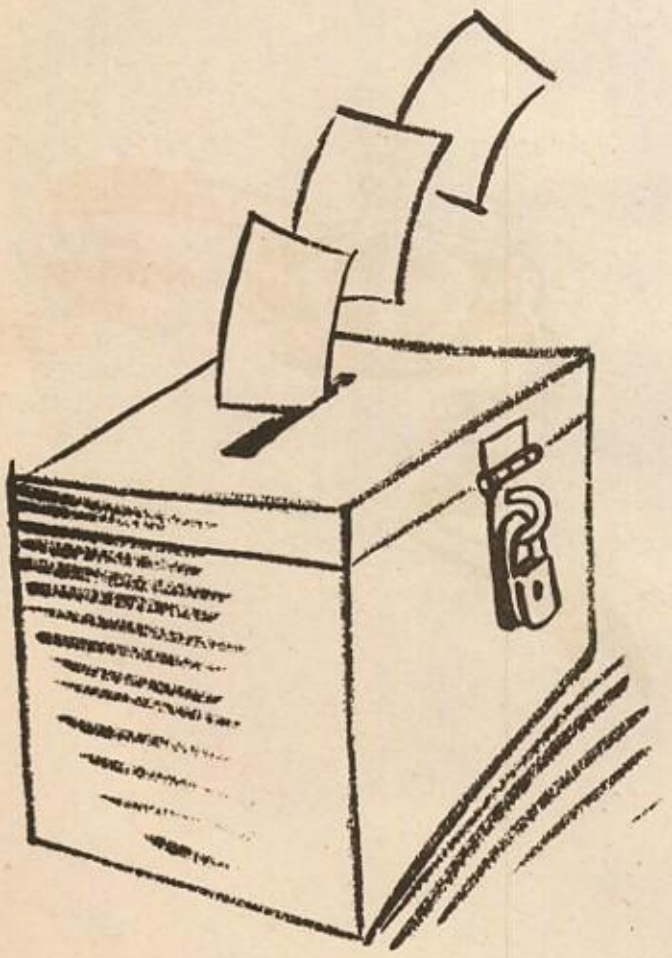
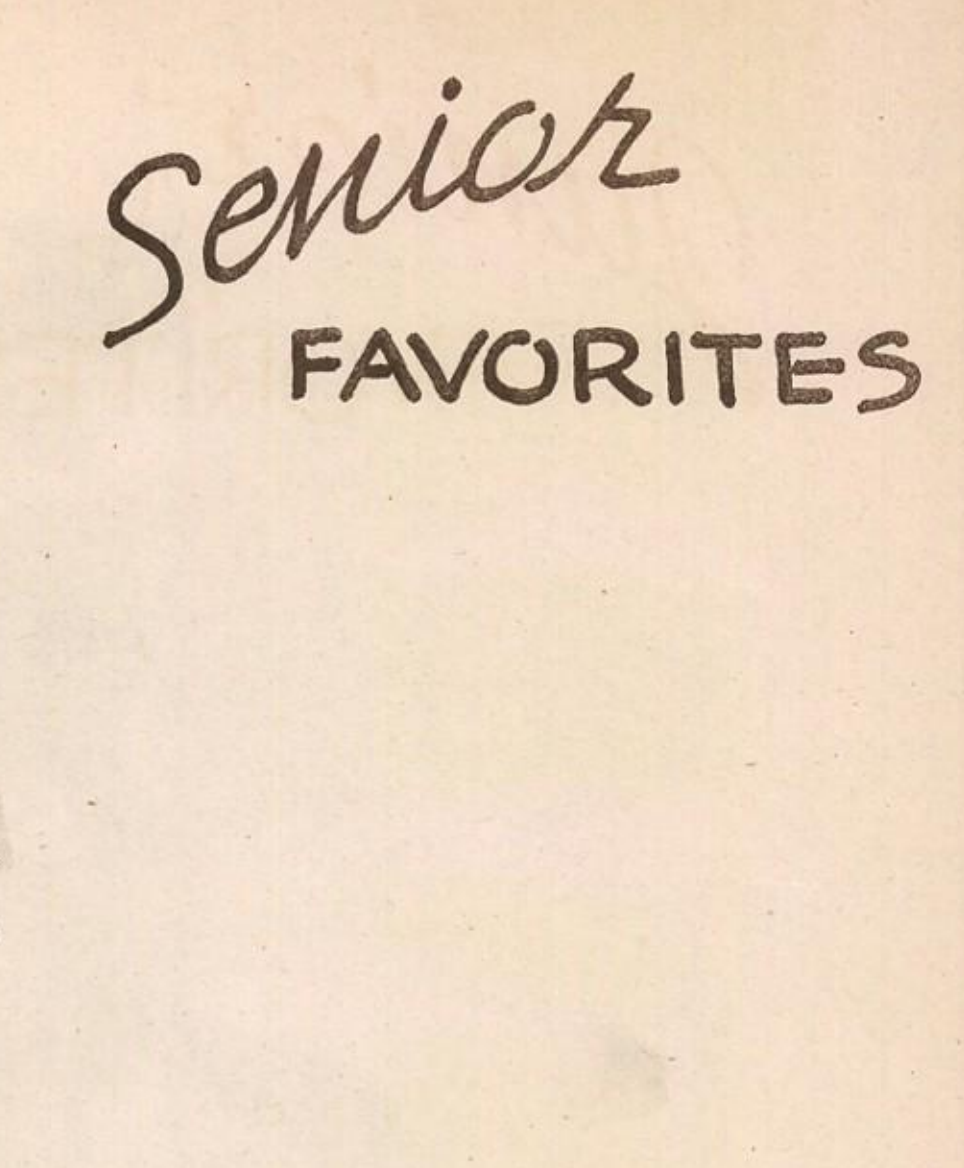
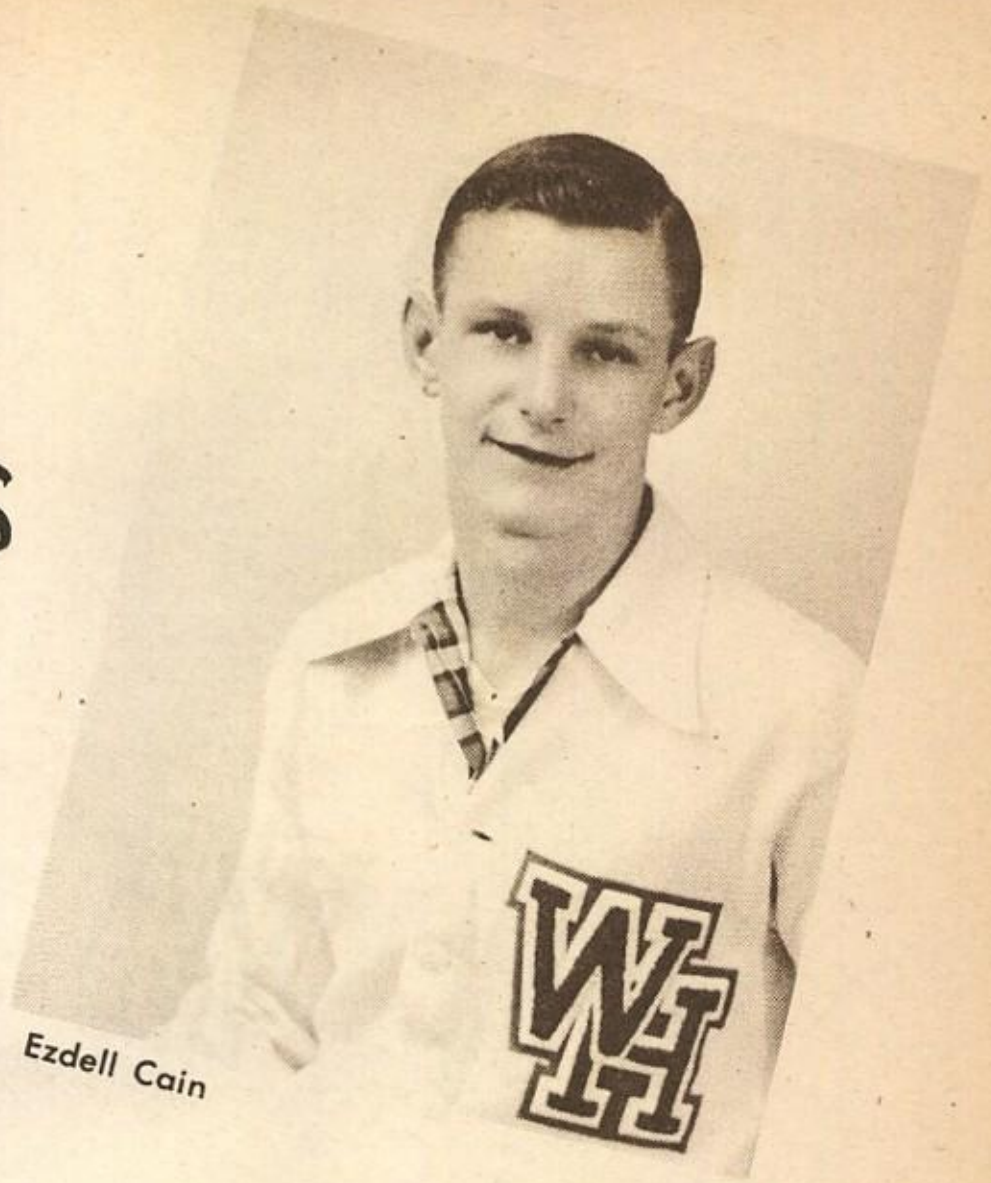




Helen Cavin

Junior FAVORITES



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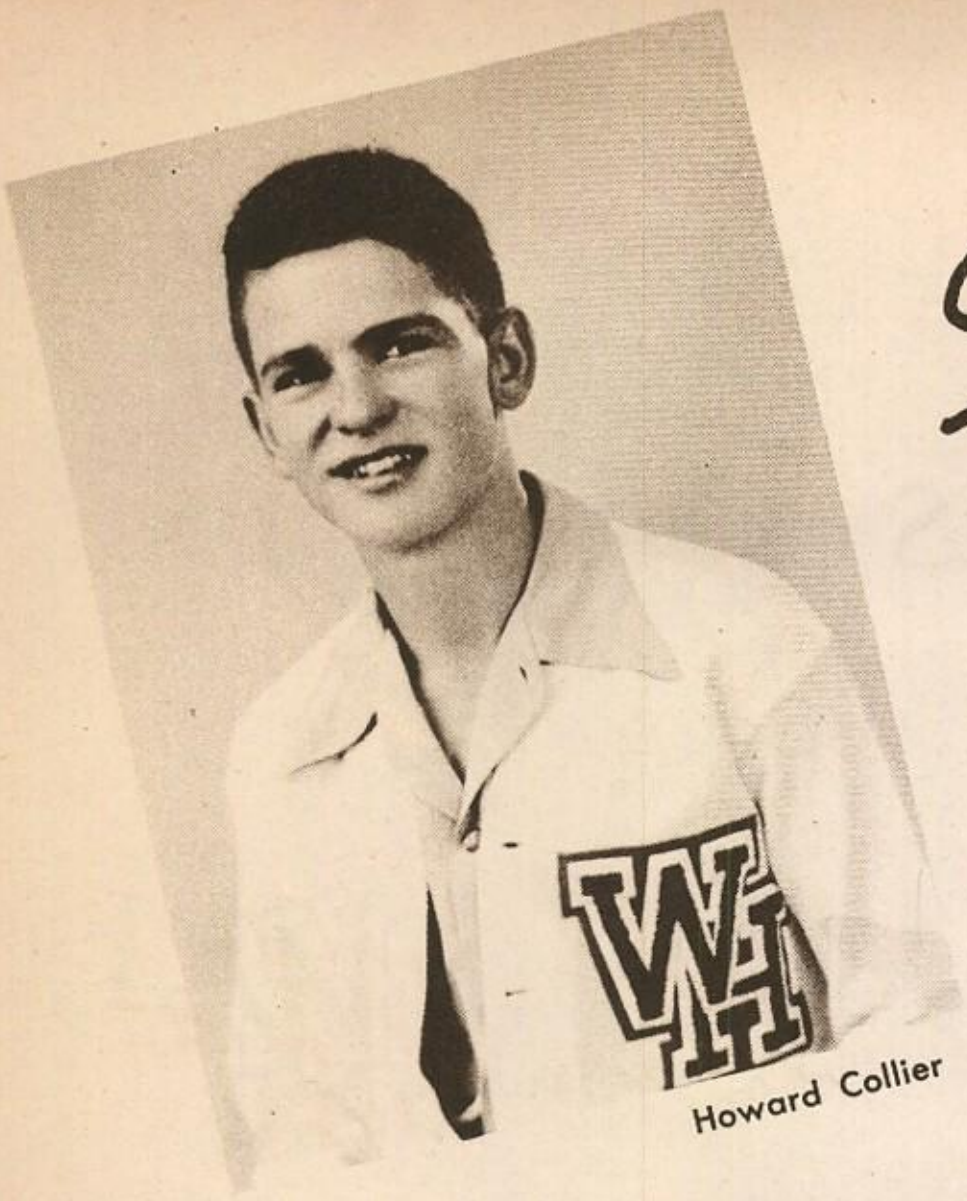

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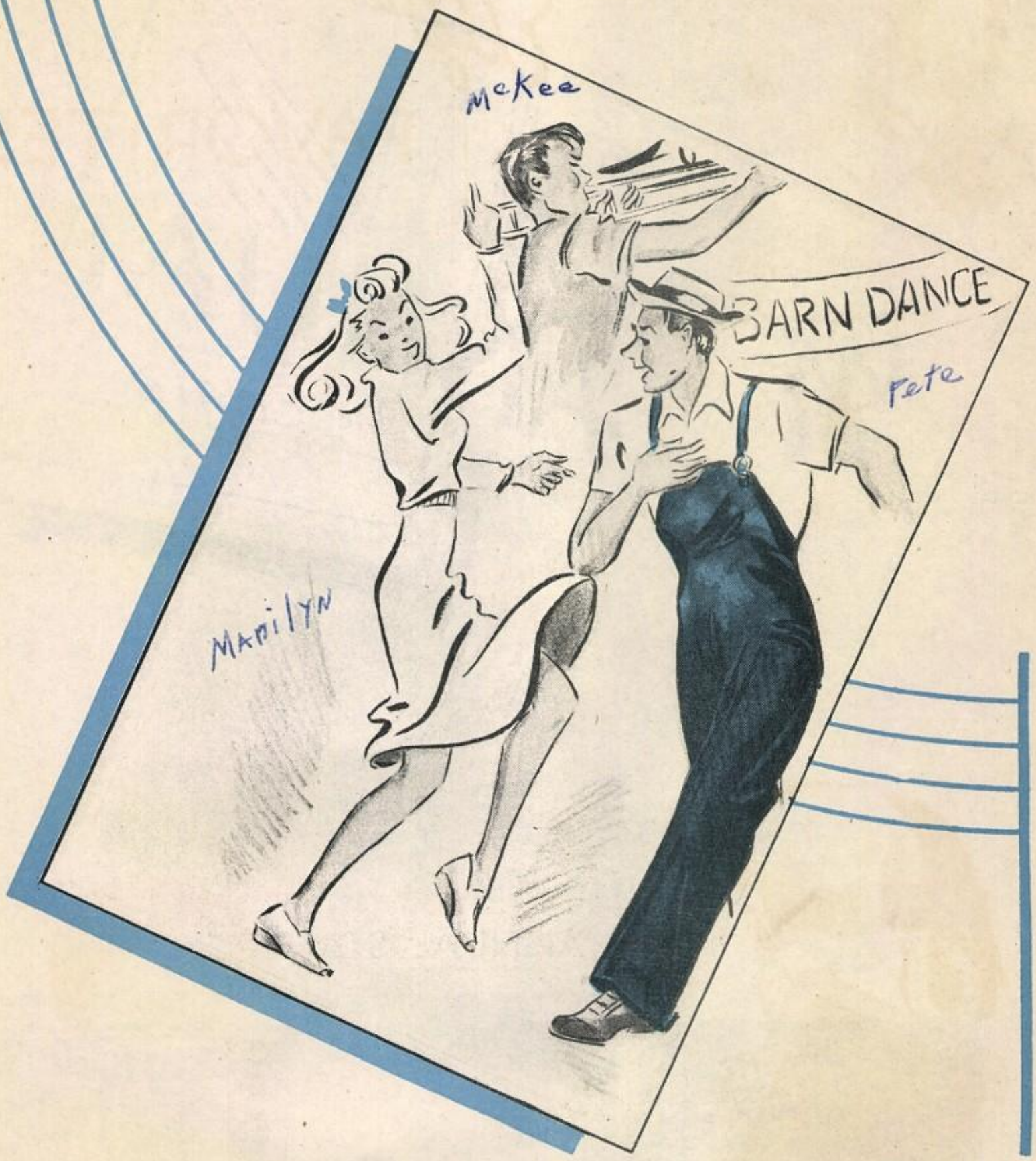

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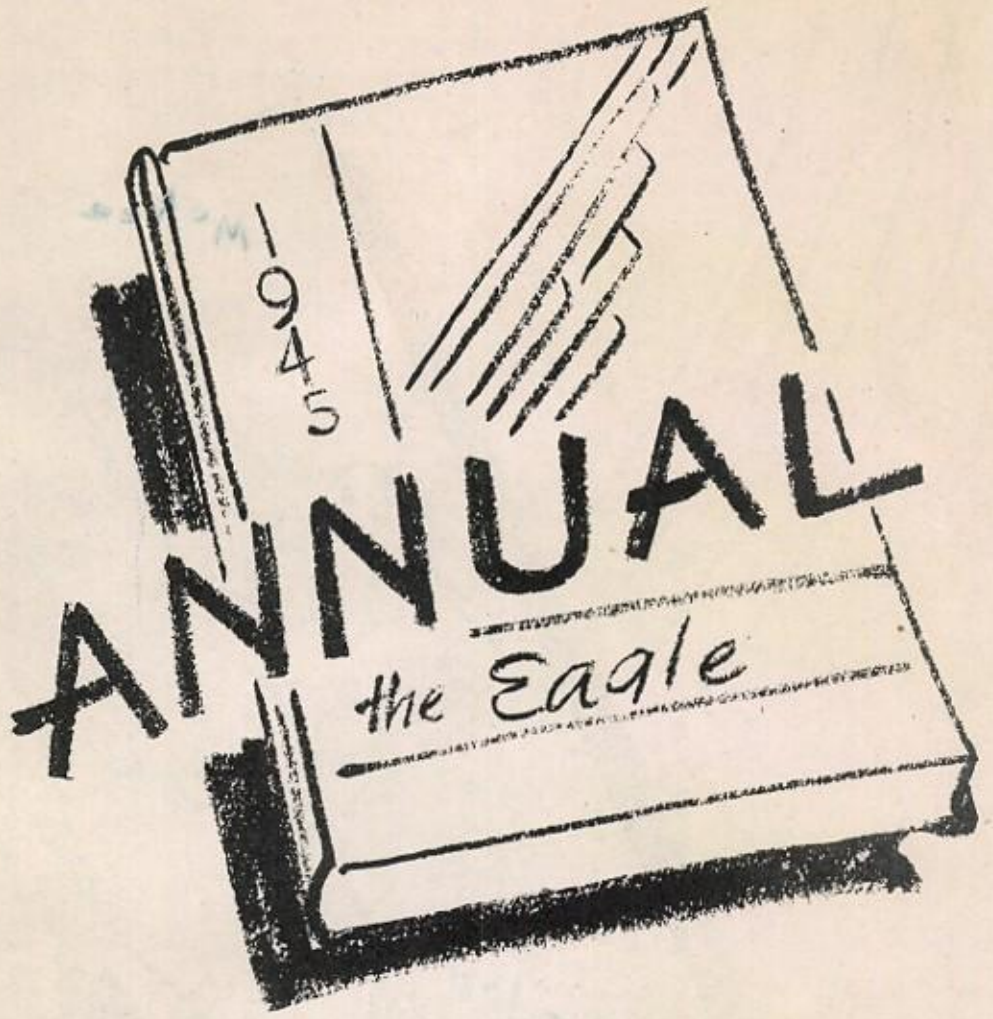

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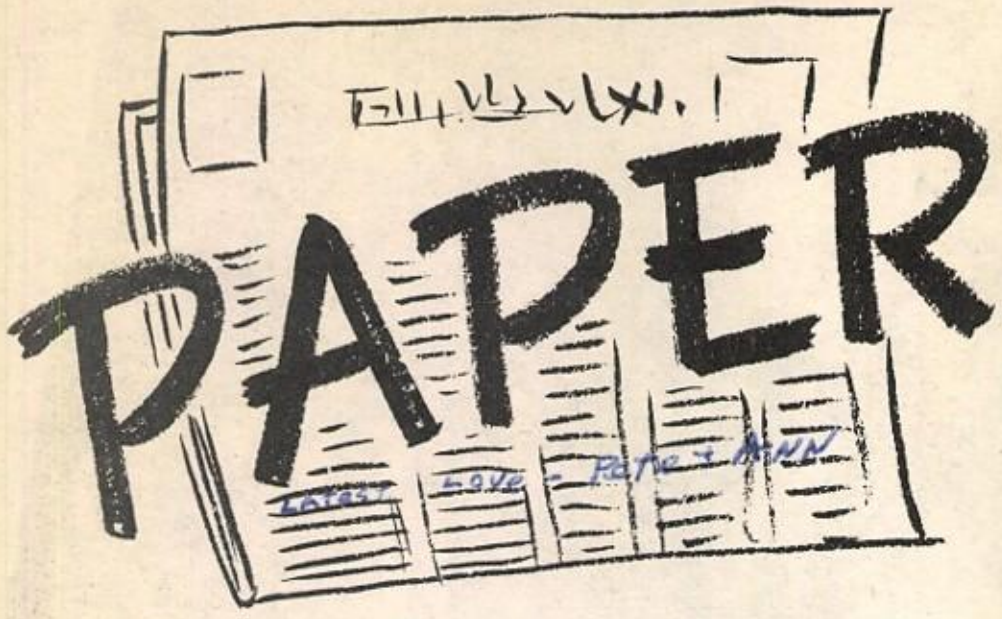

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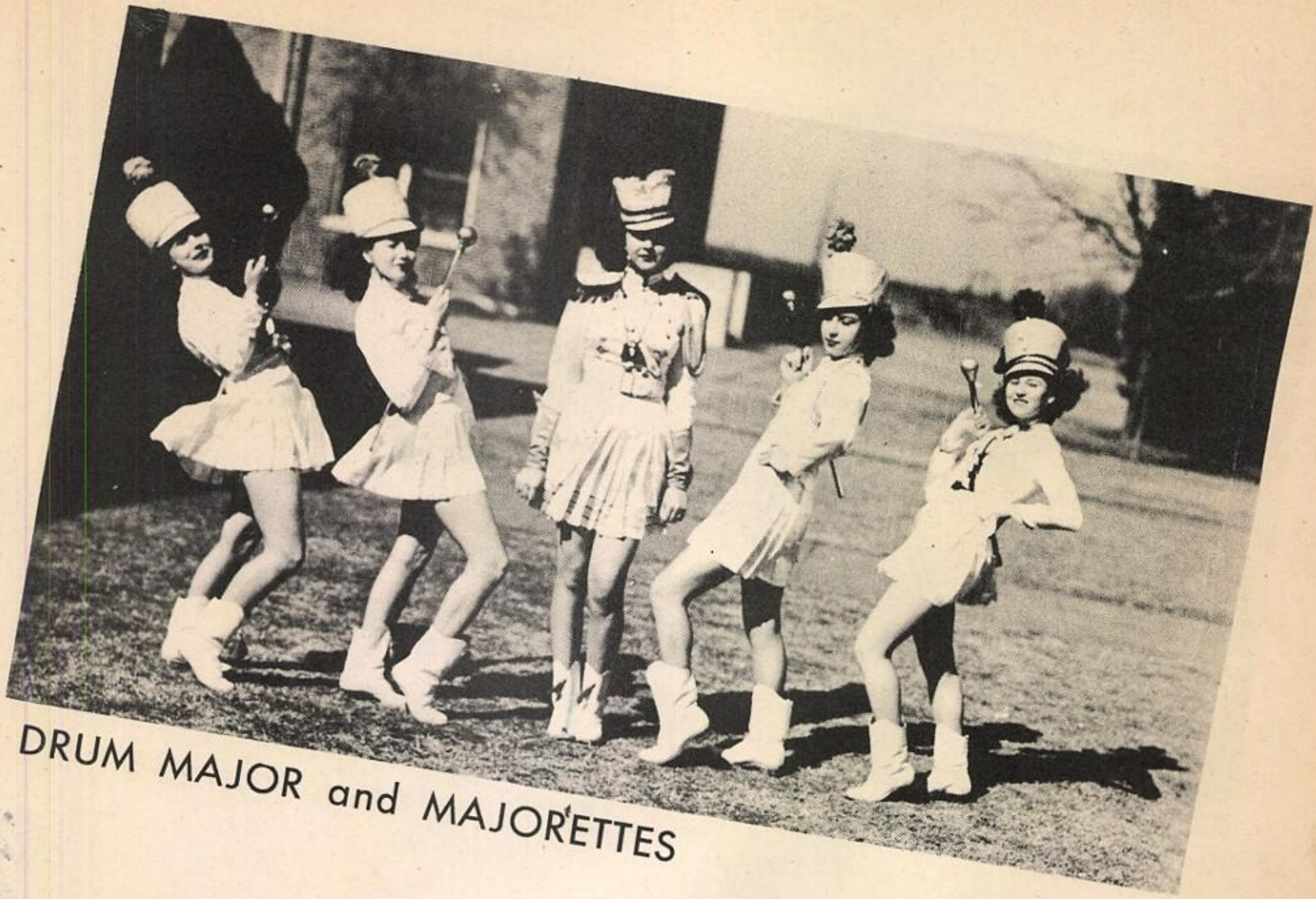

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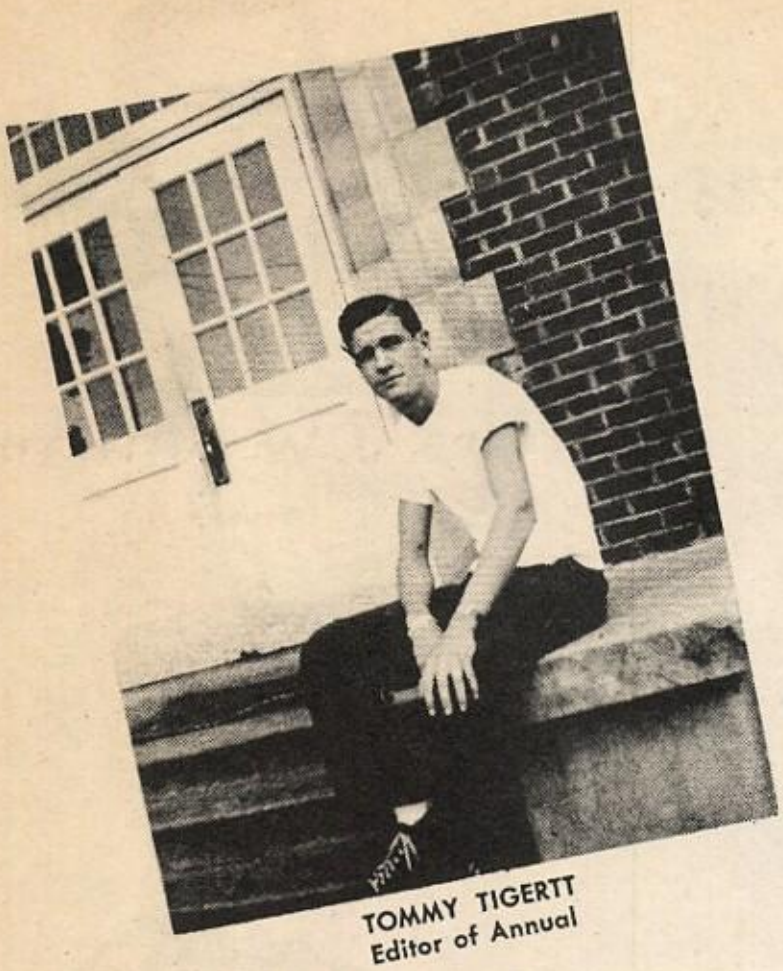

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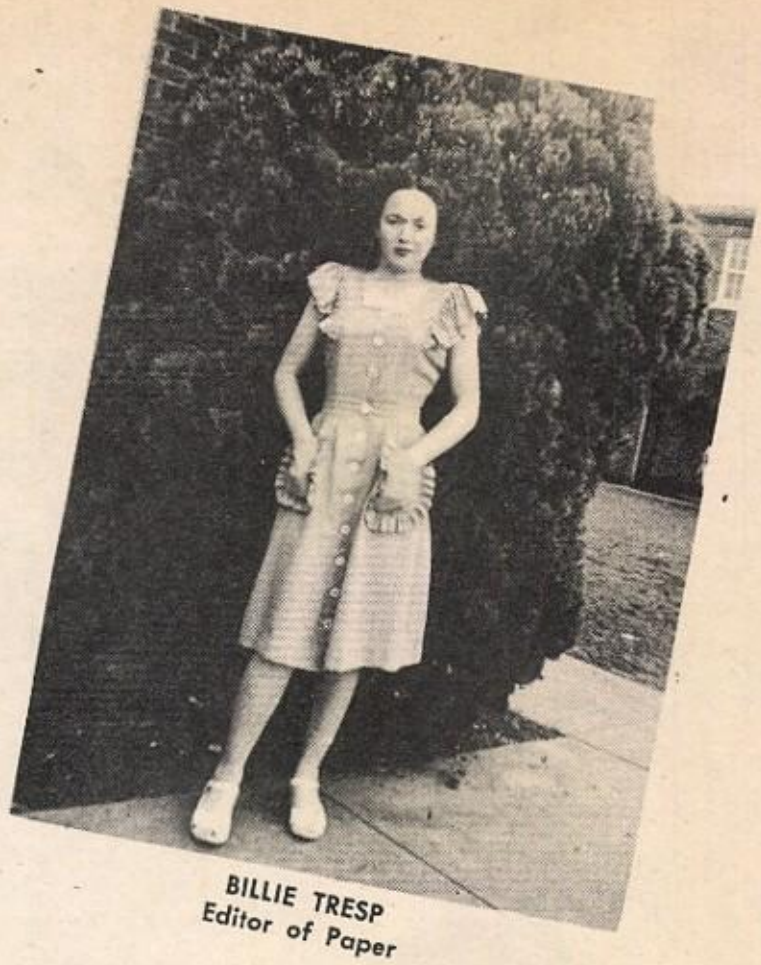

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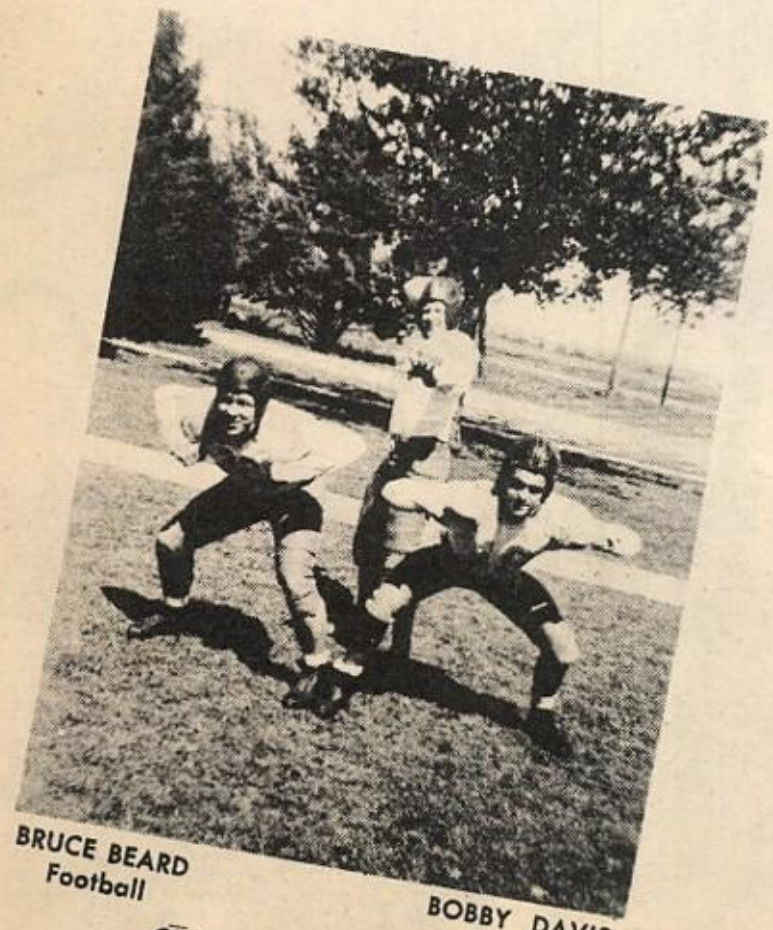

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Music

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Music

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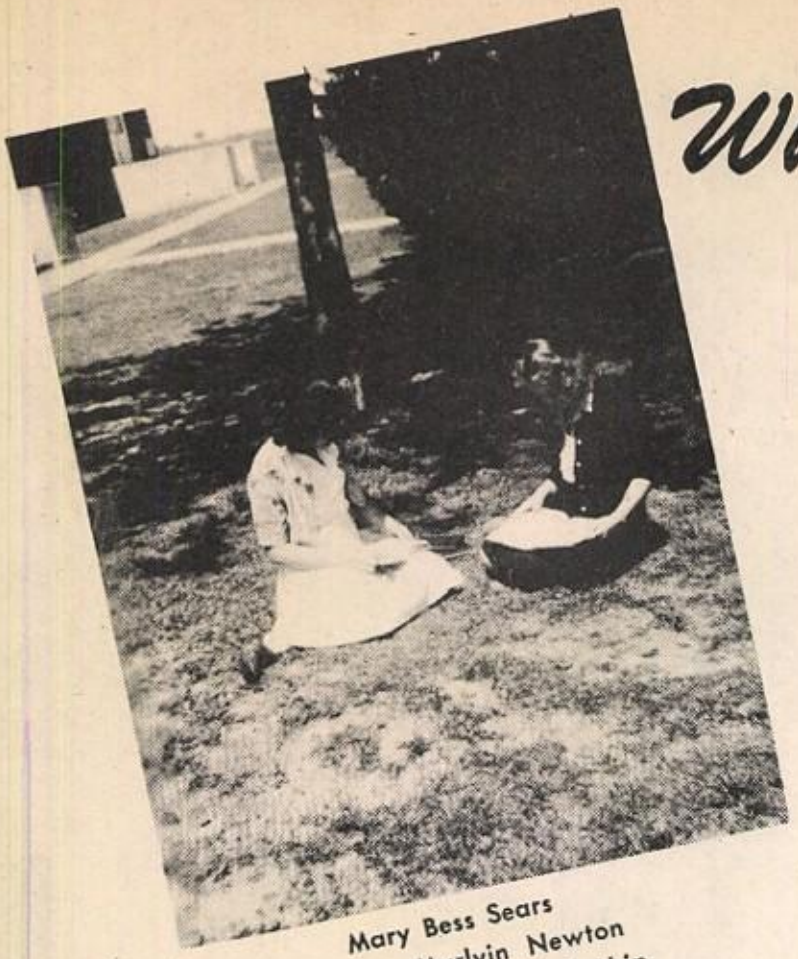

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Marlyin Newton
—Scholarship

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Mary Jane Frazier
—Basketball

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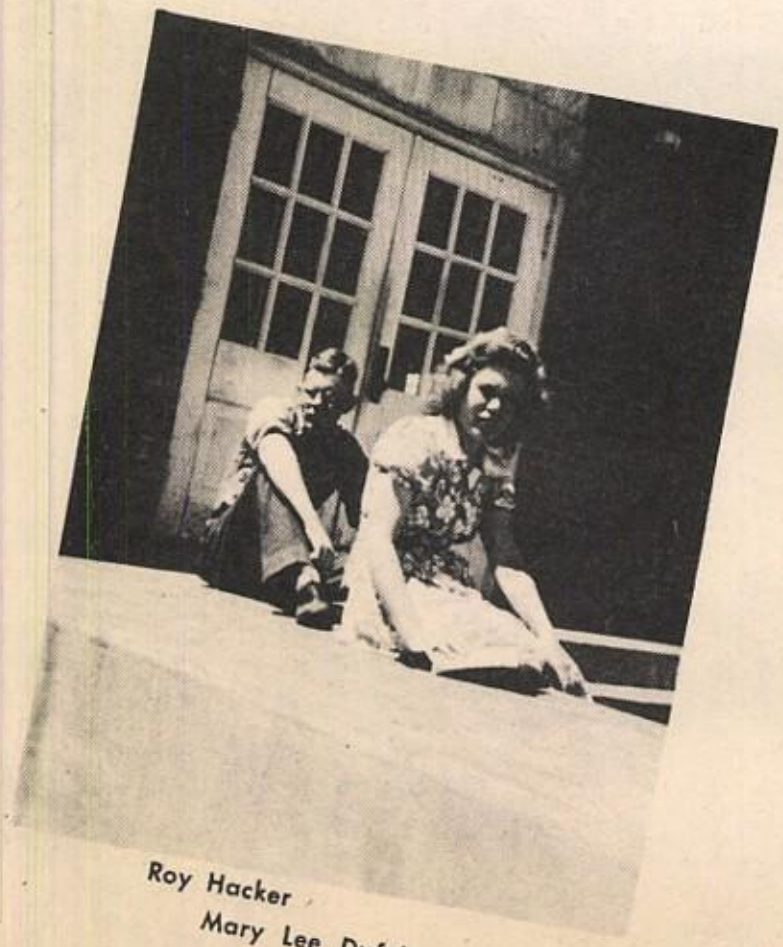

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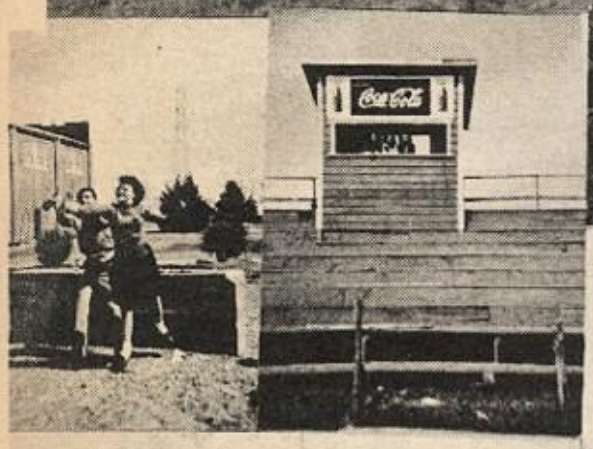
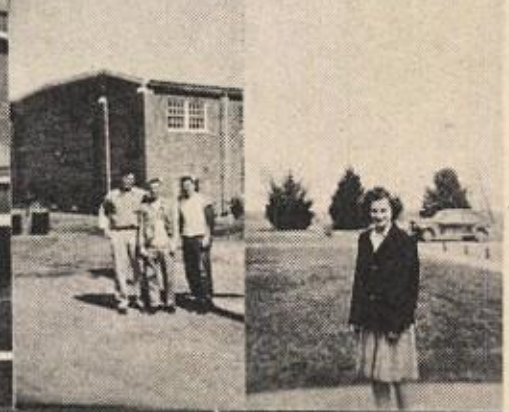
—Dependability

Jeanne Sears
—Curricular Activities





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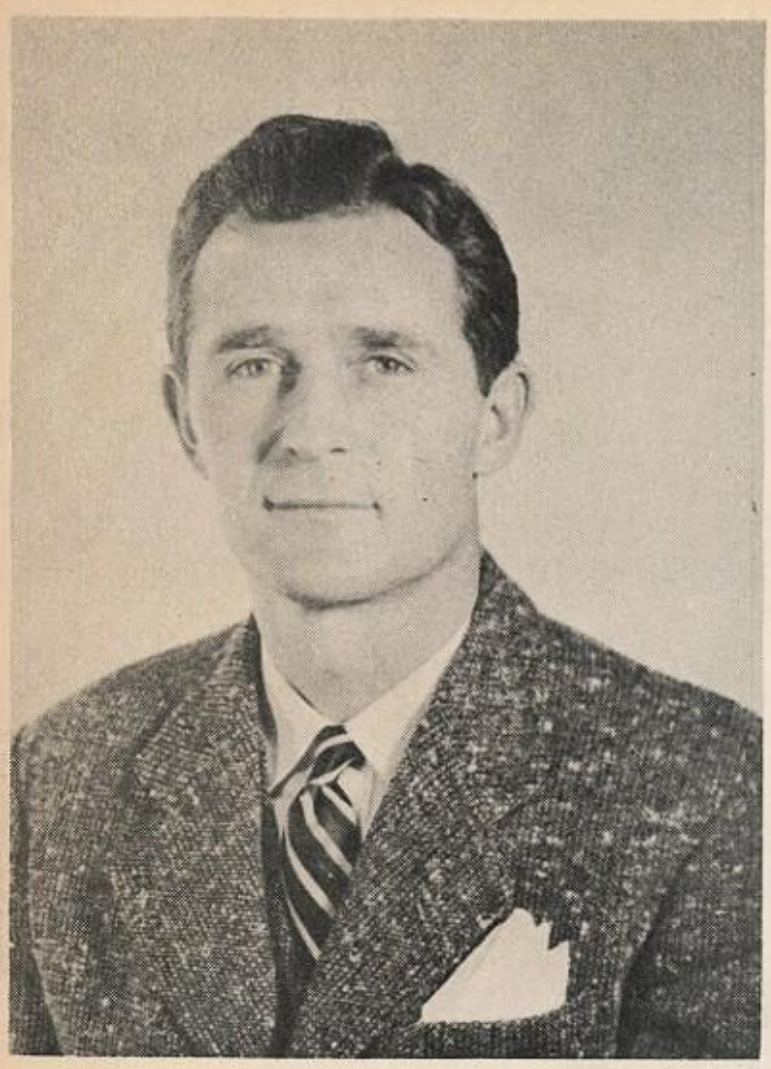

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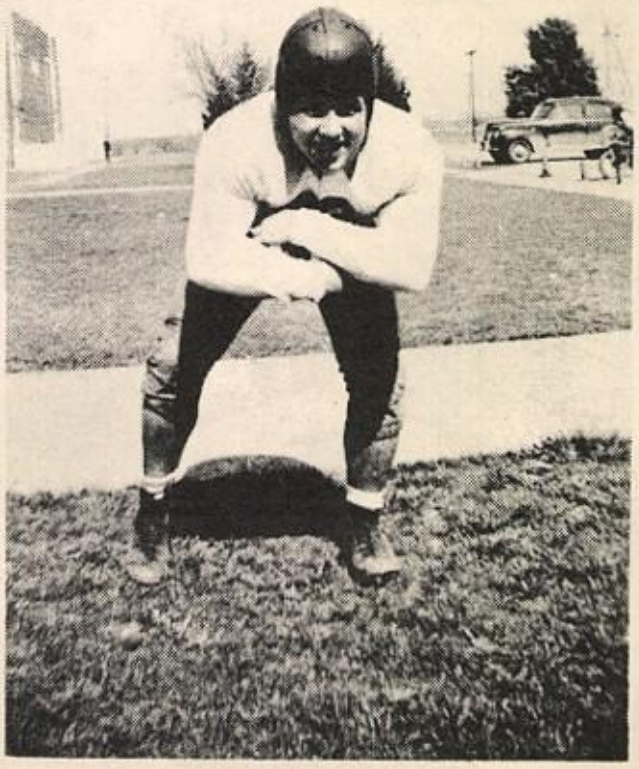
FOOTBALL SQUAD

BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS

BOBBY DAVIS
"Hen Peck"
Tailback
Three Year Letterman
Senior

TOMMY TIGERTT
"Lancaster"
Left End
Two Year Letterman
Senior

BILLY PATTERSON
"Bill"
Right End
Two Year Letterman
Senior



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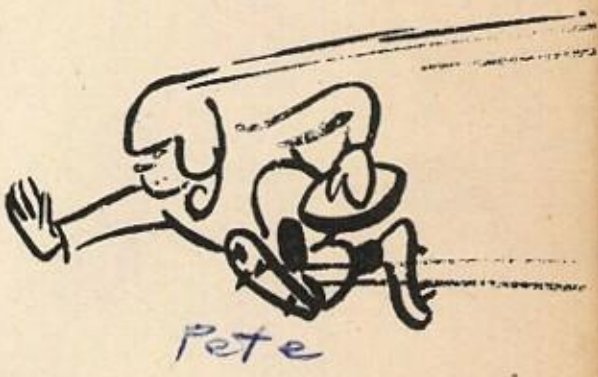
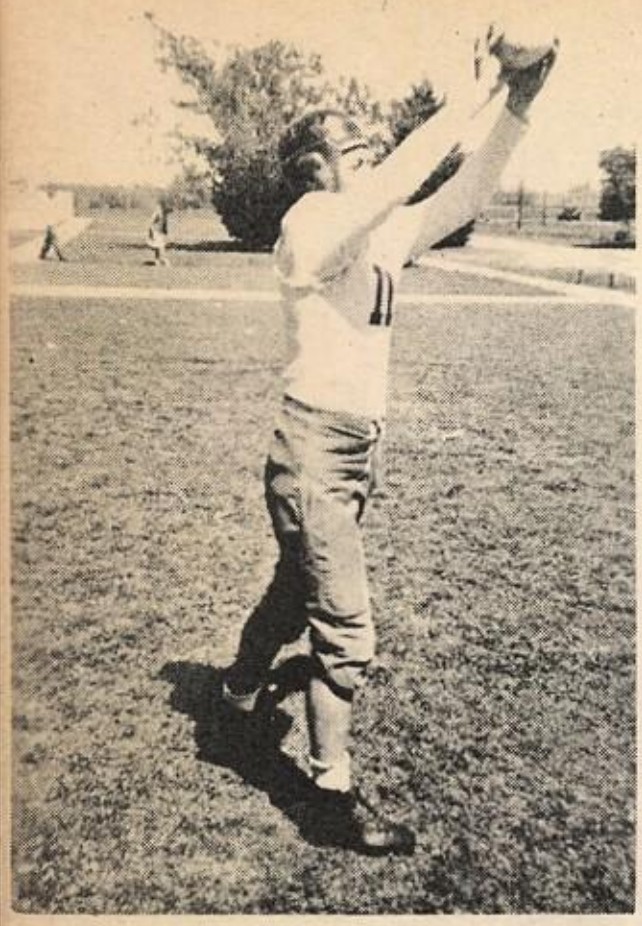
Fullback
Three Year Letterman
Senior
Co-Captain



JOHNNY CARR
"Handsome John"
Right Guard
One Year Letterman
Freshman

BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS



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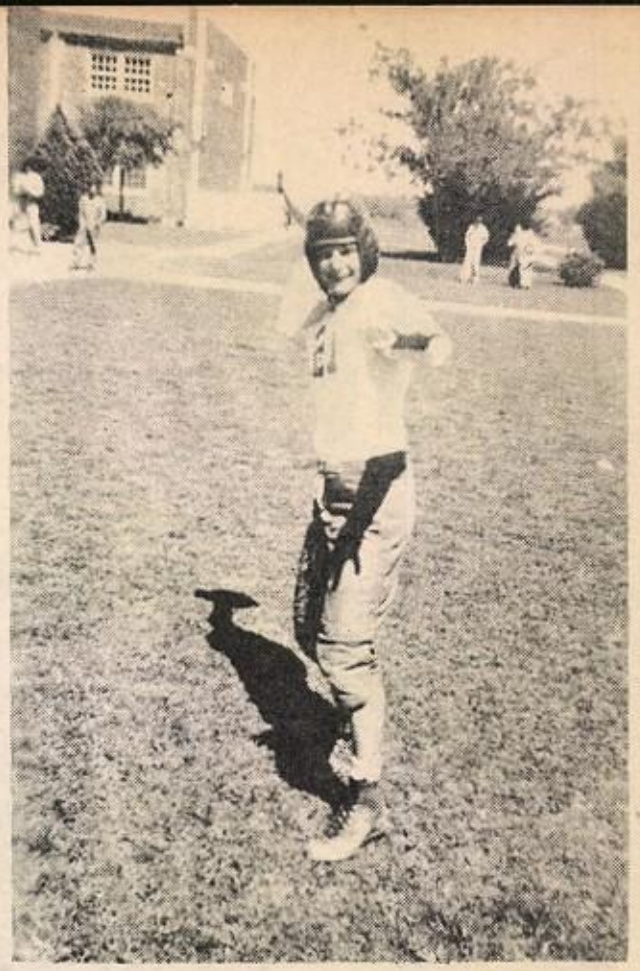
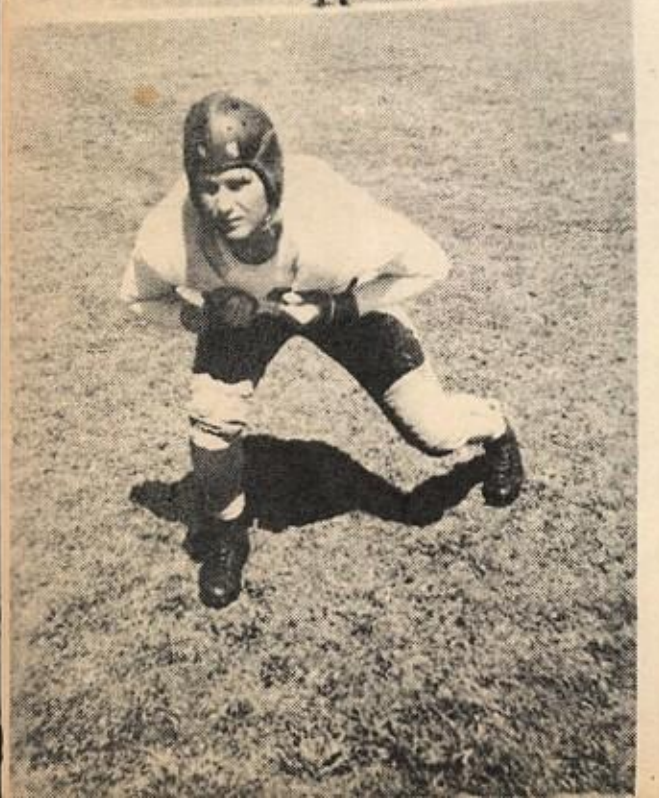
"Piano"
Halfback
Two Year Letterman
Senior



EZDELL CAIN
"Curly"
Quarterback
First Year Letterman
Junior

BOBBY TALKINGTON
"Tubby"
Right Tackle
Two Year Letterman
Junior



CHARLES E. WADE
"Charlie Darling"
Center
Two Year Letterman
Senior
Co-Captain

FRED MUSSINIA
"Freddy"
Left Tackle
Two Year Letterman
Junior

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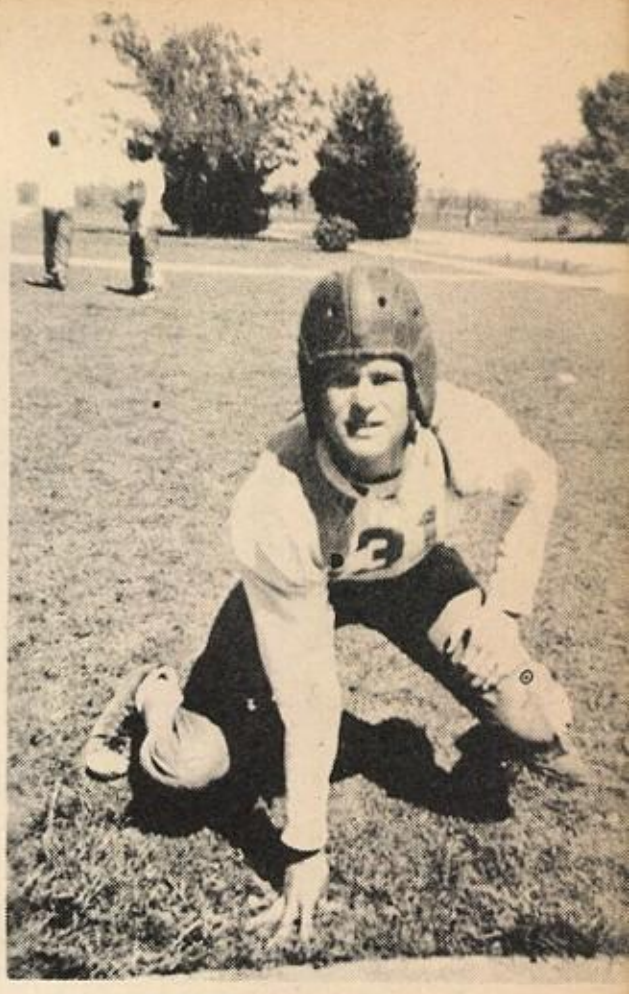
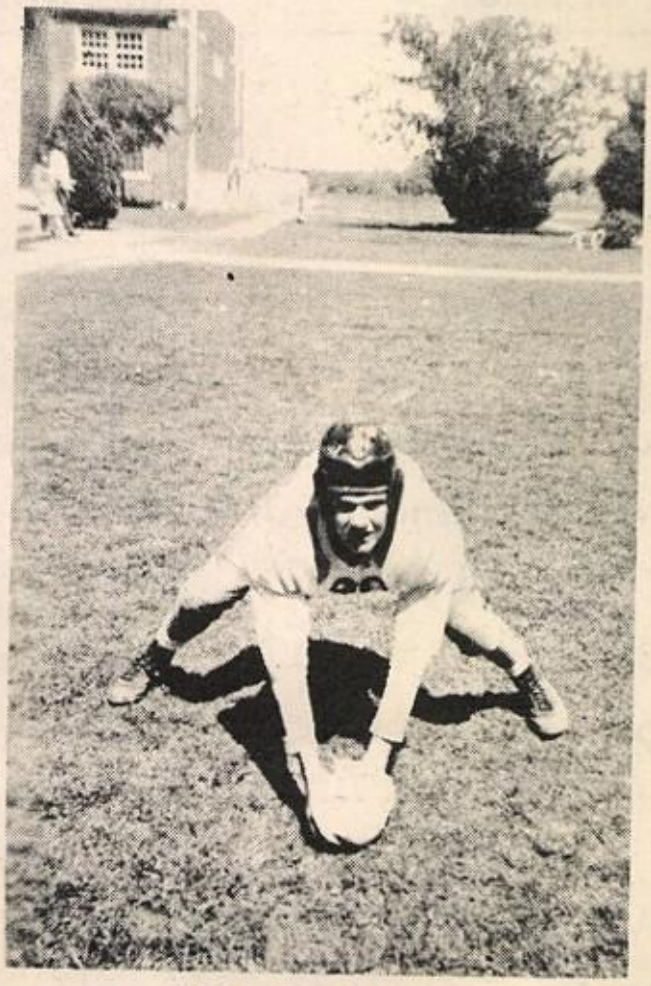
BILLY RAWLINS
"Pretty Boy"
Left Guard
Two Year Letterman
Junior



HOWARD COLLIER
"Bur"
Second Left Guard
First Year Letterman
Sophomore



ROY WARD
"Amos"
Second Center
First Year Letterman
Senior

J. D. PARSONS
"Tall Shorty"
Second Left End
First Year Letterman
Freshman

JOHN SHERMAN SOUTH
"Manager"

THE SEASON—BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS

W. H. H. S.	32	Forest "B"	0
W. H. H. S.	26	Pleasant Grove	0
W. H. H. S.	20	Vickery-Hillcrest	6
W. H. H. S.	34	Midlothian	7
W. H. H. S.	31	Lancaster	7
W. H. H. S.	19	Forney	0
W. H. H. S.	54	Richardson	0
W. H. H. S.	19	Jesuit (Dallas, Texas)	0
W. H. H. S.	34	Ferris	0
W. H. H. S.	34	Kerens (Dist. 16B Champ)	0
W. H. H. S.	29	Strawn (Dist. 7B Champ)	0
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BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS

Bi-District Champs! The 1944 football season was the most successful ever enjoyed by the Blue and White eleven. In not a single game were the W. H. Eagles outgained or outplayed. Many reasons could be given for their success, but the two outstanding ones were harmony and determination.

The Eagles scored 342 points to 20 for the opponents in eleven games which included a victory over Kerens, the 16B champions, in a game that was not an official bi-district clash.

W. H. H. S. 32, FOREST B 0

Before a large crowd, the W. H. Eagles started the season off poorly, scoring seven points the first half. However, they found themselves able to score four touchdowns in the second. It was a good game so early in the season. Two touchdowns were scored on passes, Davis engineering the pass play to left end Billy Patterson, and LeRoy Gooch a wing back for touchdowns.

Bruce Pat Beard, running from the fullback position, ripped the Forest line to pieces. Charles Wade backed the line in a rugged manner.

W. H. H. S. 26, PLEASANT GROVE, 0

The following week the W. H. Eagles met the Pleasant Grove Bobcats on the Pleasant Grove field. The Bobcats were a big, rugged and a well-coached team. The Eagles earned every inch of the ground to score 26 points.

On offense, the line opened holes for Bruce Beard to plunge through. Charles Wade at center and Billy Rawlins at guard sparked the line play. Four touchdowns were scored, three were made on running plays and one on a pass play. Bruce Beard scored two, Bobby Davis and LeRoy Gooch one each. LeRoy Gooch made a circus catch on a pass thrown by Bobby Davis at the goal line for the last touchdown.

W. H. H. S. 20, VICKERY-HILLCREST 6

The Eagles traveled to Vickery-Hillcrest, playing the only afternoon game of the season. Every year a team has to play a game where anything they do is opposite of what they would like to do. The reason is simple, "An overdose of over-confidence."

The Eagles were caught by surprise as they did not expect as much from their opponents as they had offered, consequently the knocks received in this game seemed much harder and the tackles more vicious from their opponents than in any other game. The only thing the Eagles could do right was to come out on top with the score. Touchdowns were made by Bobby Davis, Bruce Beard, and Paul Jones.

W. H. H. S. 34, MIDLOTHIAN 7

Midlothian came to W. H. H. S. to seek revenge for the loss they received from the Eagls the previous year. Midlothian had a big, rugged, and a fast team. Allen, in all probability, was the fastest man ever to step on the Eagle field. He was a constant threat.

The ends, Billy Patterson, Tommy Tigrett, and J. D. Parsons had a very busy night turning Allen in with his end sweeps. All three men carried out their assignments well. Johnnie Carr and Charles Wade played a fine game on defense.

Bobby Davis showed the Bobcats how to carry the pigskin, for on three occasions he crossed their goal line. The three runs were beautifully executed and once past the line of scrimmage, Bobby side-stepped the secondary for long runs. LeRoy Gooch made a beautiful catch of a flat zone pass and then ran twenty-four yards to cross the goal line. Bruce Beard hit the center of the line for six yards to score six points.

W. H. H. S. 31, LANCASTER 7

A real rival, the Lancaster Tigers, came to our gridiron on October 20th. This is always a "grudge game." Playing before the largest crowd of the season, the Eagles ran roughshod over the Tigers tó a tune of 31 to 7.

In the line Tommy Tigertt at left end, Bobby Talkington and Fred Mussina at tackles crashed through to rush the Tiger backs before they could get started on a run or a pass. Bruce Beard scored the five touchdowns made by the Eagles. Three of these he made on running plays and two on flat zone passes thrown by Bobby Davis. Billy Patterson at right end helped set up one of the touchdowns by leaping high into the air to catch a pass from two opponents who were ready to intercept.

Lancaster's lone touchdown was scored in the last quarter on two successive hide-out plays.

W. H. H. S. 19, FORNEY 0

On to Forney! With six games played and being undefeated, the Eagles took on their toughest rival of the season in conference play. This was the game of the season for both elevens. Both teams were determined to win; a prfect set-up. The blocking and tackling for both teams was very hard and rugged.

A scoreless quarter was played with each team feeling the other out. In the second quarter, the Eagles worked their running plays within the shadow of the Jackrabbits' goal line. Bruce Beard went off his own right tackle for the two yards to score. The score remained this way as the first half ended.

On the first play from scrimmage of the second half, Bruce Beard squeezed through a hole opened by Fred Mussina, Tommy Tigertt, and Ezdell Cain off of left tackle, crashed through, reversing his field to run 71 yards for a touchdown.

The Jackrabbits could not get started, and the best they could do was to make two first downs throughout the night. Fredd Mussina and Bobby Talkington, stopped everything coming their way. Ezdell Cain, the Eagle quarterback, found a weak spot in the Jackrabbit line and took it upon himself to romp through. The last touchdown was scored by Bobby Davis going around his own right end after receiving a lateral pass from Bruce Beard.

The Eagles left the field a very happy squad. A hard-earned victory.

W. H. H. S. 54, RICHARDSON 0

The steam roller, the W. H. Eagles, kept rolling as they rolled over the Richardson Eagles by a top heavy score. The W. H. Eagles unleashed their power on the Richardson Eagles and scored almost at will. The W. H. Eagles seemed as though they gained momentum, for their tackling and blocking was harder as the season rolled along.

This marked the first time that the W. H. H. S. defeated Richardson on their home field. Bruce Beard, with good blocking, scored the first touchdown. LeRoy Gooch made three of the touchdowns. His pass receiving was spectacular and his running of the reverse plays, with the ball being hidden on his his hip. Bobby Davis made two touchdowns, one after receiving a lateral to the weak side from Bruce Beard. Charles Wade intercepted a Richardson pass and ran 34 yards for another score.

W. H. H. S. 19, JESUIT 0

In a non-conference encounter, the Eagles defeated the Jesuit High Rangers of Dallas, 19 to 0, on a mudddy field. As any other opponent would do, the Rangers knew that they were playing an undefeated eleven, and thereby came prepared to de-feather the rampaging Eagles. All of the touchdowns were scored on running plays. Ezdell Cain scored the first touchdown off of the famous "T" formation on a quick opening play. Bobby Davis scored two, the second being on a lateral from Bruce Beard, who raced sixty-eight yards on a beautiful run.

W. H. H. S. 34, FERRIS 0

The Eagles, a team physically fit and mentally right, met the Ferris Yellowjackets who were pointing the entire season towards this game. The Yellowjackets won this game, a three-way tie would have resulted within the conference. A perfect setting for a championship game. The Yellowjackets, coached by Sherman Fletcher, received the opening kick-off and went right to work, working the ball up to the W. H. 15-yard line, before losing the ball on downs.

The game was about nine minutes old, when a surprise play, a single reverse with LeRoy Gooch hiding the ball on his hip and running fifty-two yards to the Ferris own two-yard line. On the next play Bobby Davis went over for the first touchdown. This reverse play was the turning point of the game. Bobby Davis calling plays on the offense built this reverse play strategically. Ferris was caught flat footed.

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With the kick-off play beginning the second half, Bruce Beard returned the ball ninety-two yards for a touchdown, only to have the play called back because of an off-side penalty on the kick-off formation. This was the outstanding play of the season, not only because of the run, but the manner in which the Eagles blocked for Beard.

Other touchdowns were made by Bobby Davis, who scored twice, Bruce Beard and Ezdell Cain. In the line Fred Mussina and Bobby Talkington at tackles, Tommy Tigertt at end and Charles Wade at center were outstanding.

W. H. H. S. (Champs Dist. 12B) 34, KERENS (Champs Dist. 16B) 0

Both teams having an off week before meeting their respective Bi-District opponent, and each playing only nine games up to date, played a matched game in Kerens on Thursday, November 30th, before a huge crowd.

Paced by Bobby Davis, the Eagles walloped the Bobcats 34 to 0. Davis made three touchdowns, sidestepping and weaving his way for seventy-three yards on one run, and passed for another. Davis, one of the best backs to ever represent the Blue and White, exhibited the qualities that make a back great. Ezdell Cain and Bruce Beard made the other tallies.

The score at the end of the first half was 7 to 0. The Eagles could not get started, but found themselves in the second half to score 27 points.

Charles Wade and Fred Mussina starred defensively for the Eagles, while Henderson Carroll, big left end for Kerens, was a constant worry to the Eagles attack.

W. H. H. S. (Dist. 12B) 39; STRAWN (Dist. 7B) 0

The Eagles staged a touchdown parade to trounce a game Strawn Greyhound eleven in their bi-district encounter on a neutral field in Ferris. Bobby Davis, in the first play from scrimmage for the Eagles, packed the ball on his hip in a very deceptive bootleg play and scampered sixty-two yards for a touchdown. So precise was the blocking that not a single hand was laid on him. From there, the championship march was on.

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Davis slashed through the line for twenty-seven yards and another score midway in the first quarter. He passed to Beard, in the left flat zone, for six more points after the second stanza began. LeRoy Gooch, Eagle half, scored on a delayed reverse buck after a Davis to Gooch pass had put the ball on the two-yard line.

In the final quarter with the tiring Greyhounds unable to gain, the 12B champions sped through the line for two final touchdowns as Beard went off tackle to score and Charles Wade, a center, intercepted a Strawn pass to cross pay dirt. A pass, Davis to Tigertt, scored the last point of the season.

The seniors playing their last game for the Blue and White were:

Co-Capt. Bruce Beard, Co-Capt. Charles Wade, Bobby Davis, LeRoy Gooch, Tommy Tigertt, Billy Patterson and Roy Ward.

A fine season has come to an end. It ended as it began in our first huddle before each game. Once again may I say in this last huddle to you young men:

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May the breaks be with you,
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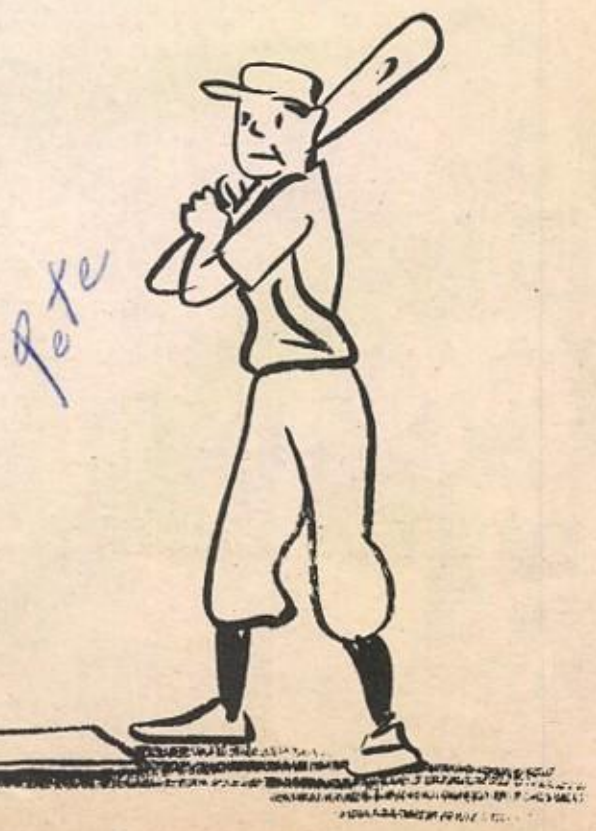

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